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THE GILBERT GOLD AND BLUE

Golden gleam the walls of Gilbert,
Giving light for all mankind;
Setting youth upon life's pathway
With a sound and upright mind.
'Tis the dwelling-place of wisdom,
While its precepts, honor true,
Ever marks the sons and daughters
Of the Gilbert Gold and Blue.

Golden are the days we spend here,
Sheltered from the world's rough storm;
Many are the ties of friendship
In these quiet halls we form.
Happy days of love and labor,
Ever winning knowledge new,
Through the four long years of gladness
'Neath the Gilbert Gold and Blue.

When in after years we're wearied
With the trials and cares of life,
When our hearts with pain are saddened
As we carry on the strife—
Then will come the golden mem'ries
Of those happy days we knew,
And we'll think, with cares all banished,
Of our Gilbert Gold and Blue.

(Written by Hollis M. French, '18, in May, 1917, as an Alma Mater song, to the tune of Princeton's "Orange and Black.")

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We, the Class of 1962, dedicate this yearbook to Mrs. Ada S. Benedict

Mrs. Benedict, born in Fort Wayne, Indiana, graduated from the Gilbert School in 1903. In 1909, she received her major in biology at Mount Holyoke College. After teaching in the New Hartford High School for three years, she married George L. Benedict, a Gilbert graduate of the class of 1900.

From 1936 until 1961, Mrs. Benedict operated the Gilbert Book Room. She is a member and a past president of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Litchfield County Women's College Club, the Winsted Woman's Club, and the Litchfield County Hospital Auxiliary.

TO THE CLASS OF 1962:

You have completed your secondary education and are about to enter various fields of endeavor. Whatever your choice, may you enjoy success and happiness.

My congratulations and sincere best wishes—

David B. Nichols

B.A. M.A. M.S.

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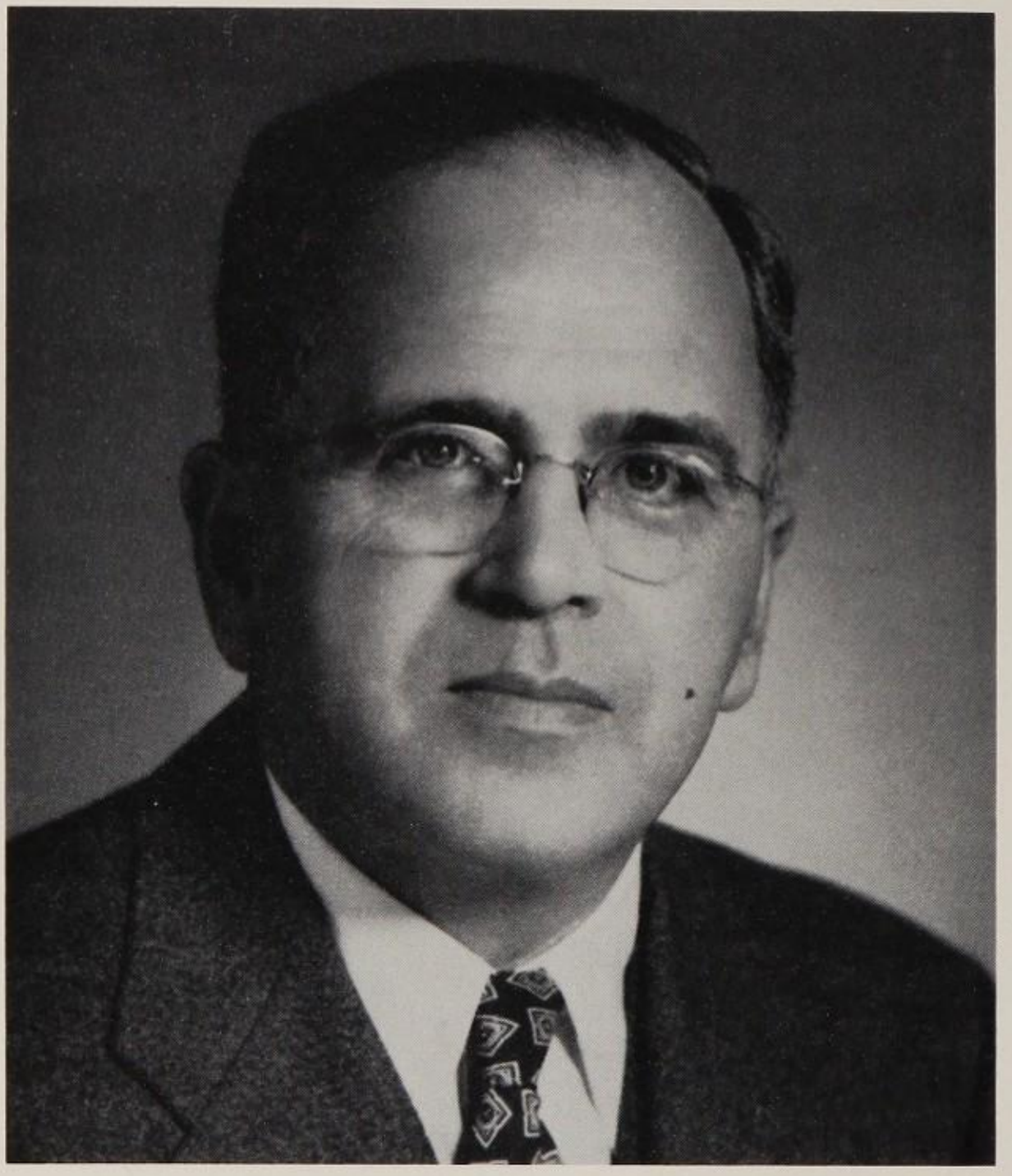
long a resident of Winchester
"For the improvement of Mankind
by affording such assistance and
means of educating the young as
will help them to become good
citizens".
A.D.1895.

In Memoriam

We, the Class of 1962, dedicate this page of our yearbook to Mr. Robert Noble.

A member of the board of trustees since 1952, he has been on the finance committee and served as assistant treasurer.



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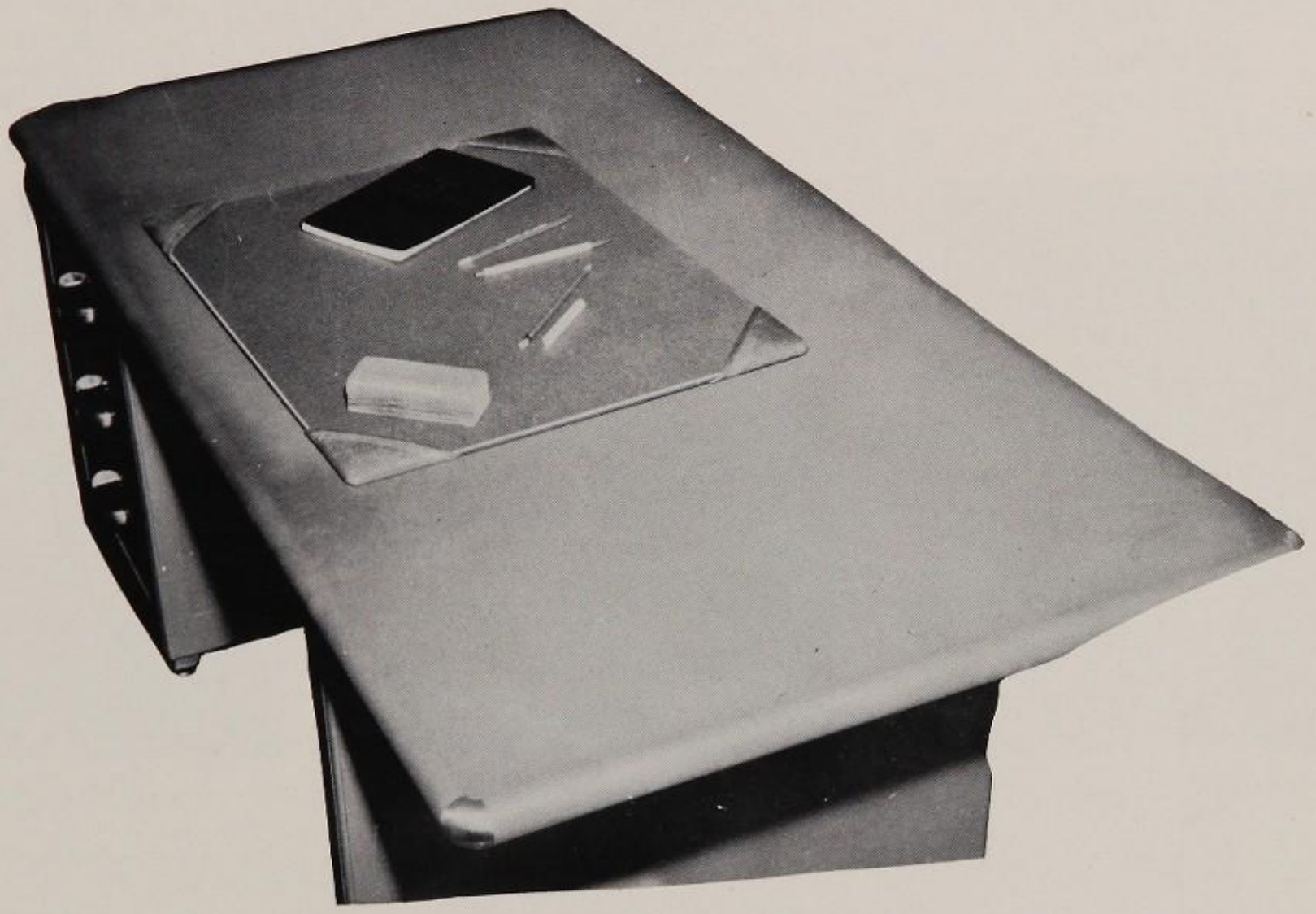

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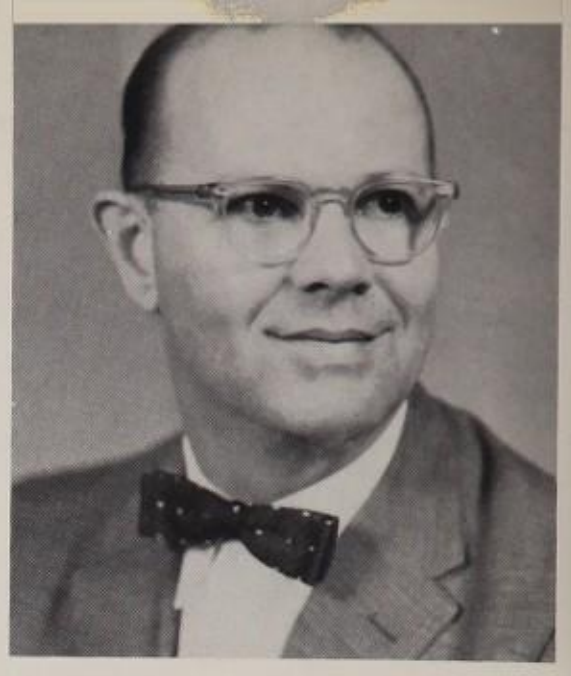

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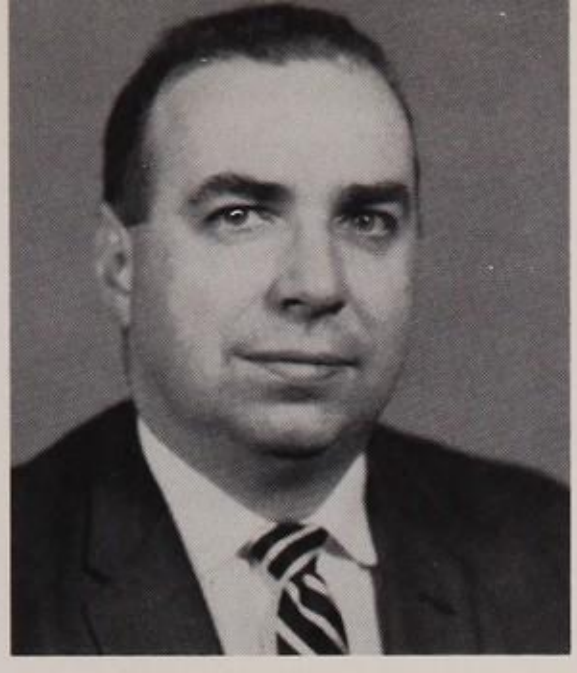

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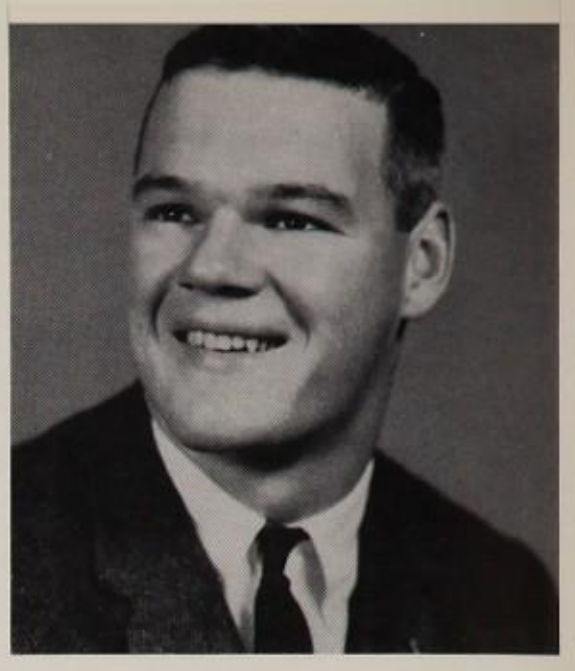

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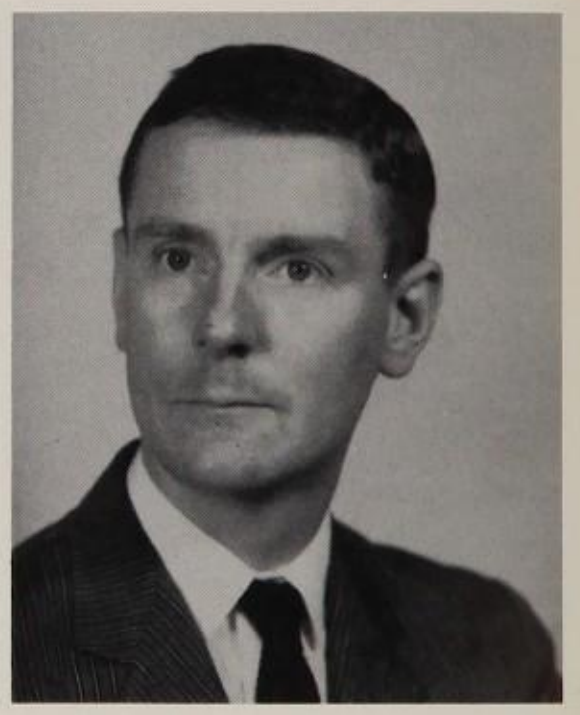

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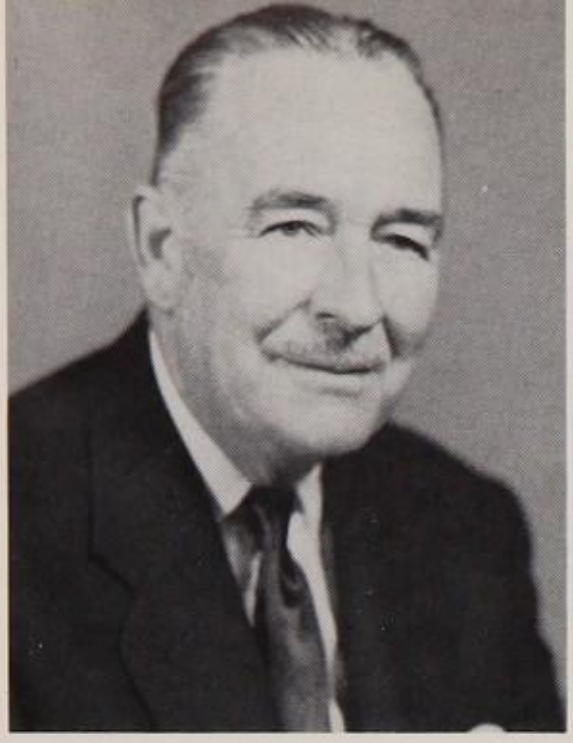

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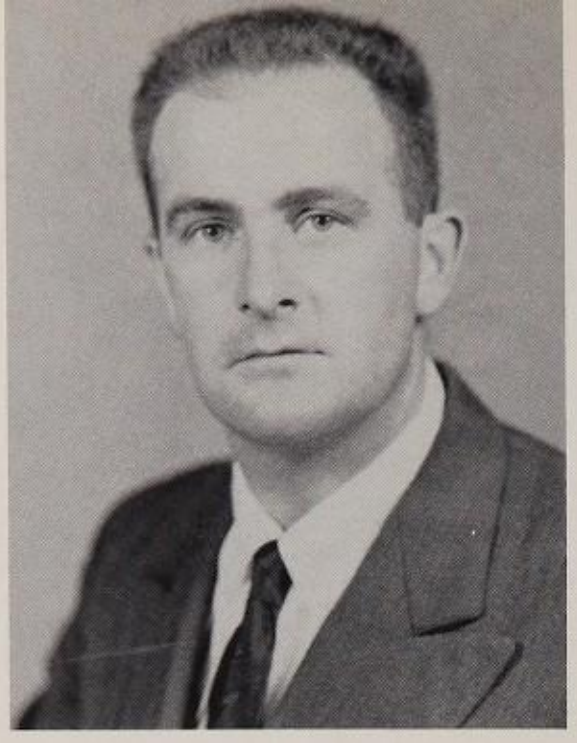

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We hope your stay at Gilbert is one of enjoyment and we extend to you a special welcome.

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Industrial Arts

The Senior Class

of 1962

KATHRYN MARY ALEXANDER

February 20, 1944 — Kathy
341 North Main Street — College

"Smile and the world smiles with you." Quiet, friendly, pleasant to be with.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Miracle Home Room Collector 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; bowling, swimming, ice skating, driving. AWARDS: Glee Club Lyre and Bar, Dramatic Club Pin 4.

CATHERINE ELIZABETH BARRETT

January 9, 1944 — Katie
Coe Street — College

"If it's worth waiting for, it is worth having." Lots of fun, active, popular.

ACTIVITIES: Band 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Secretary 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Tri-Y 2, 3, 4; President 4; News Board 2, 3, 4; Assignment Editor 4; Parade of Youth Correspondent 3, 4; Waterbury Republican Correspondent 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4; Devotional Committee 3, 4; Student Council 3; Treasurer 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Races, parties, bowling, swimming. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, honorary member of Winsted Woman's Club, Music Lyre, Glee Club Bar, Dramatic Club Pin.

Coe,
We have
lots of laughs
& shakes in math.
I'll never forget it
or my math.
Stay happy.
Love,
Ellen

ELLEN BROOKS BARRETT

April 24, 1944 — "El"
133 Wallens Street — College

"To have a friend is to be a friend." Friend to all, reliable, always in a hurry, blushes.

ACTIVITIES: Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Vice-President 3; President 4; Newsboard 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4. AWARDS: Girls' Chorus Lyre; Glee Club Pin; Glee Club Bar; Newsboard Pin 4; Laurel Girls' State Pin 3; Dramatic Club Pin. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 1, 2, 3, 4; Parties.

BARRY LEE BAYETTE

April 12, 1944 — Barry
Winchester Center — General

"Your kindness is only exceeded by your beauty." Hails from Winchester, cute, full of fun, often late.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Skiing, bowling, baseball, dancing.

KATHERINE ELIZABETH BARSHAW

January 22, 1944 — Kathy
898 West Main Street — Commercial

"Oh, 'Gee,' Mr. Pitt, not again!" Shy, quick-tempered, with Betty.

ACTIVITIES: Geography Club 2. AWARDS: Shorthand Speed Award. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Horseback riding, vacationing in Victory Mills, New York.

VIRGINIA AIELLO BAZZANO

March 16, 1944 — Ginny
27 Cherry Street — College

"A kind word and a kind thought are worth a million but can never be bought." Friendly, often confused, cute.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Miracle Board 4; News Board 2, 3, 4; Make-up Editor 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Secretary 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Scribe 4; Miracle Homeroom Collector 4; Sophomore Ensemble 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Driving the Dodge, being with my "buddies," movies, dances, Gilbert's ball games. Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 2, 3, 4; Assistant Scribe 4. AWARDS: Music Lyre 2; Writing Certificate 3; News Board Pin 4; Dramatic Club Pin 4.

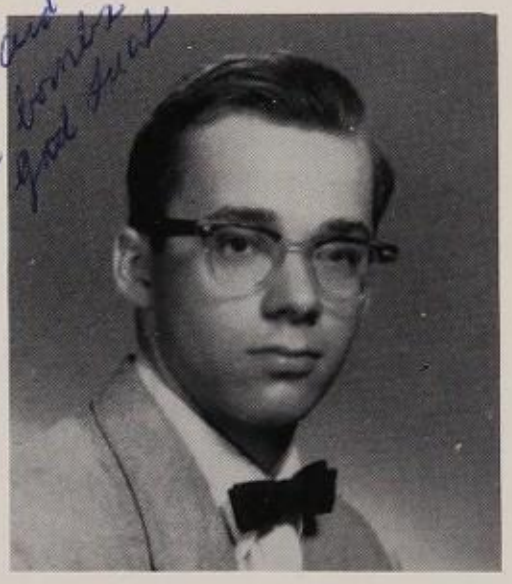
CHERYL JUNE BEECHER

June 3, 1944
132 Florence Street — General

"If at first you don't succeed, try, try again!" Shy, with Anita, nice to everyone.

ACTIVITIES: Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming and writing to Johnny. AWARDS: Glee Club Lyre.

To Coe, Keep punching Richard Best wishes and good luck Don



DENNIS LEO CAPPABIANCA

June 16, 1944 — Denny
117 Prospect Street — General

"Don't think it messes you up." Likes football, friendly.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Football, Girls.

WALTER RALPH BENEDICT

April 28, 1944 — Ben
34 Rockwell Street — General

"Keep punching." Woman hater, always working, polite.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Fishing, hunting, outdoors in general.

Good luck in the future Ken

KATHLEEN FAYE BOOTHE

April 10, 1944
Star Route — General

"For of all sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these: It might have been." Very quiet.

ACTIVITIES: Girls' Chorus. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Horseback riding, reading, riding around.

SANDRA ANN CAPPELLINA

January 5, 1944
19 Prospect Street

Sandy
Commercial

"When you smile, the whole world smiles with you, but when you cry, you cry alone." Intelligent, pretty, determined, pleasant smile.

ACTIVITIES: Pep Club 1; Dramatic Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 3; Tri-Y 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Miracle Board 4; Co-Typing Editor 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Dancing, listening to records, bombing around, parties. AWARDS: Pep Club "G" 1; Scholarship "G" 1, 2; Music Lyre, Glee Club Award.

SERENA MAY CASEY

May 23, 1944
37 Crescent Street

Casey
College

"What's your major mal-adjustment?" Sportswoman, always laughing, sarcastic.

ACTIVITIES: Chess Club 1; Miracle 3, 4; Latin Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Mickey Mantle, Yankees, sports, activities, reading, arguing.

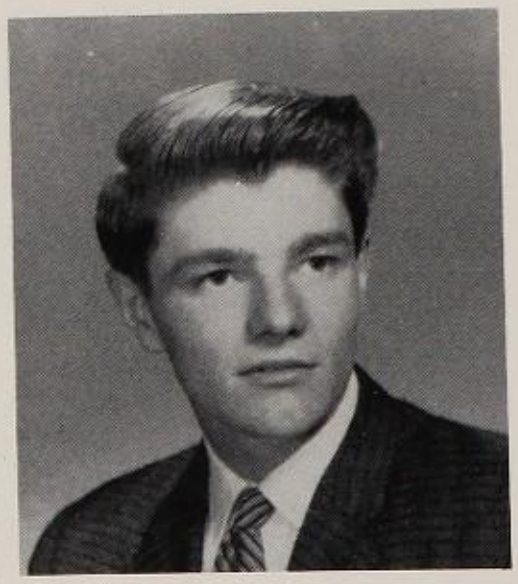
NORMAN EDWARD CHAMBERLIN

May 6, 1944
275 North Main Street

Nummy
General

"Eat, drink, and be merry; for tomorrow you die." Athletic, good-looking, popular, with Sue.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Class President; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Prom Committee 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Susan, football, basketball, baseball, Susan, Susan, Susan! AWARDS: Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.



JOHN RICHARD COLAVECCHIO

April 17, 1944
16 Upson Avenue

Rocky
General

"Girls—10% brain and 90% emotion." Athletic, happy-go-lucky, likable, dresses well.

ACTIVITIES: Football 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: All sports, girls, pizza, bowling.

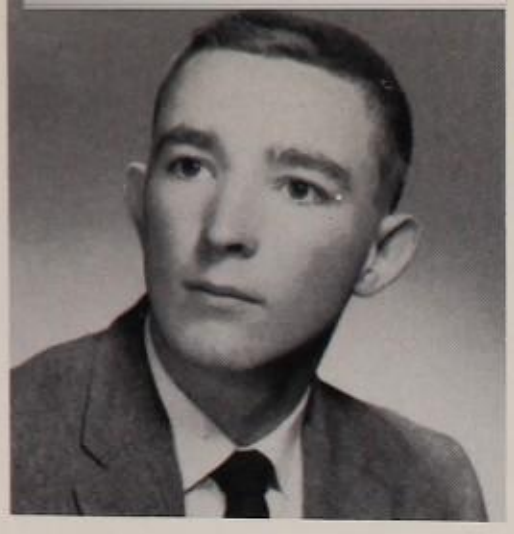
MICHAEL GEORGE CLARK

August 27, 1944
Danbury Quarter Road

Mike
College

"Rich in qualities that endure and build friends." Quiet until you get to know him, has dry humor, moody.

ACTIVITIES: Key Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Cars. AWARDS: Band 2, 3, 4.



Best of luck Col,
to a real great guy
and a good friend,

DAVID MICHAEL DALY

May 21, 1943 — Dougal
Overlook Road — General

"It's in the book, why bother it?" Always fooling around, nonchalant, with the boys.

ACTIVITIES: Geography Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sports, girls, riding with the boys.

Col,
Best of luck to you
in the future. Don't blow
up any buildings with your
chemicals. Stay out of
trouble
Allie

ALICE JEAN DAUTRICH

January 16, 1944 — Allie
39 East Lake Street — General

"I give up—what?" With Ray, pleasant.

ACTIVITIES: Future Nurses Club 1, 2, 3, 4; OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Ray, writing letters, bombing around, movies, C.Y.O. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Col,
Let's go to Friends'
I think you have mistaken
me for someone else.
Miss Kittredge

Love
April Fool

MARILYN ANN DAVIES

April 1, 1944 — Marty
Winchester Road — College

"To err is human; ,to forgive, divine." Quiet, pleasant, good friend.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Horseback riding, swimming, boating, racing. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1.

GORDON FRANCIS DAYTON

May 29, 1943 — Butch
100 Waldron Street — General

"If you don't succeed, try, try again." Happy-go-lucky, hard worker, pleasant to know.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 1; Radio Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Dancing, playing baseball, girls.

JEANNE ANTOINETTE DAVIS

November 9, 1944 — Jean
75½ East Lake Street — College

"A jester may laugh, but he cries as well." Petite, artistic, busy.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Newsboard 2, 3, 4; Miracle Board 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Writing, art, sewing, singing. AWARDS: Honorable Mention (1st Year Art Class) 1 of 2 top features in Sunday Republican School Page (We, The Students, cartoons)

DENNIS JOSEPH DeLISLE

June 27, 1943
74 Elm Street

Rick
General

"Who are a little wise the best fools be."

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: All sports, and cars.

SYLVIA LYNETTE DESMOND

February 11, 1944
East Hartland

Lyn
College

"Smile and the world smiles with you." Quiet, hails from Hartland, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatics 1, 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming, water skiing, snow skiing, hiking, C.Y.O.

Best of luck
to a future chemistry
professor. Don't blow
up a room. I'll be there.
Bill

WILLIAM JOHN DILLON

July 20, 1944
Torringford Street

Bill
College

"What, me worry?" Small, quiet until you get to know him, with the boys.

ACTIVITIES: Band 1, 2, 3, 4. AWARDS: Band 2, 3, 4; Scholarship "G" 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, golf.

JAMES FRANCIS DiVITA

January 22, 1944
259 Oak Street

Vita
General

"Speak softly and carry a big stick." Athletic, tall, loves to fool around.

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Club 3, 4; President 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Playing cards, playing basketball, driving around in his car.

CHARLES JAMES DiVITA

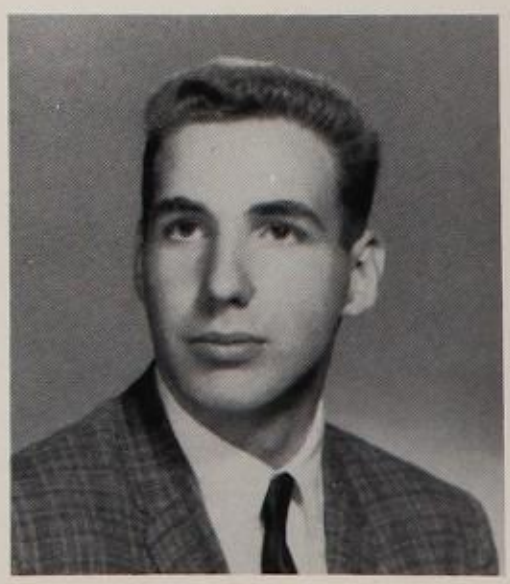
December 30, 1944
32 Holabird Street

Vit
General

"GMC, best cars on the road." Always confused, bombing around.

ACTIVITIES: Latin Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, cars, drive-in, girls, driving, Torrington.

Now that Dra Lowry,
I'd like to say goodbye
to a great team.
Captain of the track
Charlie DiVita
'62"



STEPHANIE DOBBS

August 28, 1944 — Steph
Platt Hill — College

"Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow you may die." Popular, cute, fun to be with, drives the big "B."

ACTIVITIES: Gym Club 2; Tri-Y 3, 4; Treasurer 4; J. V. Cheering 3; Captain 3; Varsity Cheering 4; Miracle Board 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Boys, bowling, parties, dances, movies.

SUSAN DOBBS

August 28, 1944 — Sue
Platt Hill — College

"Full of fun and mischief too, doing things she shouldn't do." Nice personality, well-dressed, apt to be cheering, with Nummy.

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Cheering 3; Captain 4; Tri-Y 3; Sergeant-at-Arms 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4; President 3; Gym Club 2; Miracle Board 4; Student Council 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Nummy, cheering, parties, dancing, bowling.

PAULA PATRICIA EISENLOHR

October 8, 1943 — Paulette
Platt Hill Road — General

"Life is what you make of it." Quiet, nice to know, with Jimmy.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle Homeroom Collector 4; Ping Pong 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Softball, boys, swimming, dancing, and ping pong.

DORIS MYRA DOMBROWSKI

January 8, 1944 — Daw
75 South Main Street — General

"Full of fun and mischief too, doing things she shouldn't do." Always laughing, mischievous, good typist.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle Homeroom Collector 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Driving around, talking, joking with Lewie, and just being alive.

SHARON ANN DUNN

November 11, 1944
47 Front Street — College

"She never knew an evil thougnt. She spoke no evil word." Intelligent, hard worker.

ACTIVITIES: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Probationary Chairman 4; Newsboard 2, 3, 4; Senior Proofreader 4; Waterbury Republican Correspondent 4; Business Manager 4; Miracle Board 4; Literary Editor 4. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Band Award 2, 3, 4; Honorary member of Winsted Woman's Club, NEDT Certificate 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sewing, reading, badminton, music.

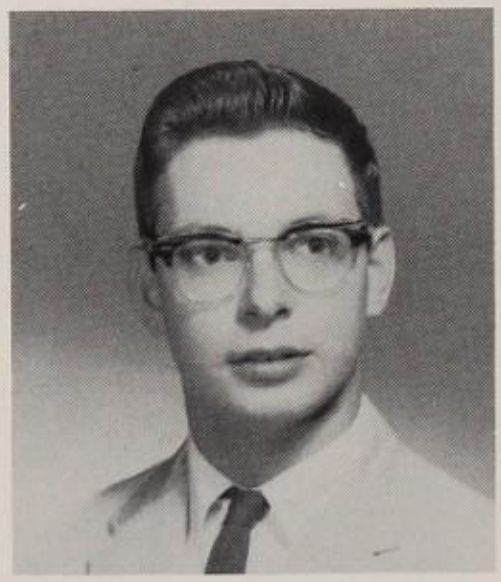
BARBARA ANN ENGLISH

August 26, 1944
RFD#3

Barb
Commercial

"There ought to be a law!" Intelligent, apt to be writing to Jerry, works in the office.

ACTIVITIES: Band 1, 2, 3; Girls' Leaders Club 3, 4; News Typist 4. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 2, 3; Typing Certificate, Shorthand Certificate. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Jerry, music, working, reading.



DAVID HOLLIS FANCHER

January 27, 1944
165 Wallens Street

Dave
Scientific

"You bet." Works at First National, with the boys, always fooling around.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, works at The First National, homework.

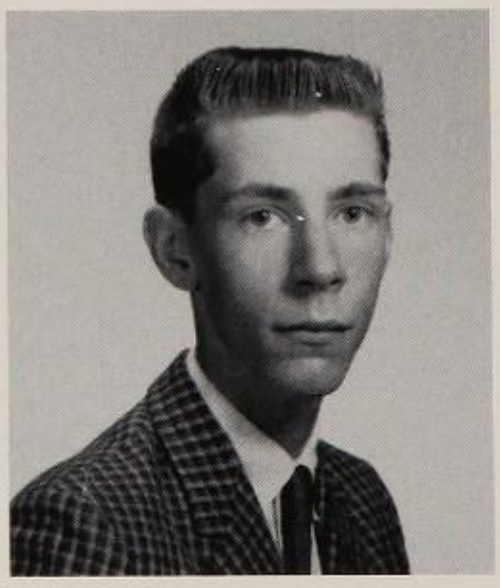
CHARLES JOSEPH FERRANTE

June 3, 1944
Torrington Road

Josh
Scientific

"Pretty good, considering." Quiet, excels in Math and Science, likes bowling.

ACTIVITIES: Band; Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Harvard Book Prize 3; Biology Book 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, baseball.



RUTH ANN FLOTAT

June 25, 1942
175 Stanton Avenue

General

"Another day, another dollar." Practical joker, nice to know, warm-hearted.

ACTIVITIES: Future Nurses Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Working at the hospital, bowling, movies, baby sitting.

WILLIAM ALLAN FISKE

September 17, 1943
83 Wallens Street

Will
General

"Save it." Quiet, with Carol, interested in photography.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Carol, all sports, photography, dancing.

MARILYN ELIZABETH FRACASSO

April 7, 1944
Platt Hill Road

Commercial

"Smile and the world smiles with you." Happy-go-lucky, business-like, hard worker, nice manner.

ACTIVITIES: Geography Club 2, Pres. 2; Girls' Leaders Club 3, 4; Miracle Board 2, 3, 4, Business Manager 4; Office Staff 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Piano, swimming, New York, Stock Car Racing. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2; Miracle Pin; Pep Club "G" 1; 50 Word Typing Certificate; 60 Word Shorthand Certificate.

JANICE KATHARINE GABELMANN

July 3, 1944
107 Wallens Street

Jan
College

"If you think defeat you invite defeat; if you think success you invite success." Hard worker, works in the office, enjoys math.

ACTIVITIES: Latin Club—Aedile 2; Miracle Board 2, 3, 4, Editor 4; Office Staff 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming, Stock Car Races, horseback riding, working in the office, Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Miracle Pin; Honorary Member of Winsted Woman's Club.

Good Luck
in the future
we really studyed OH!
Ben

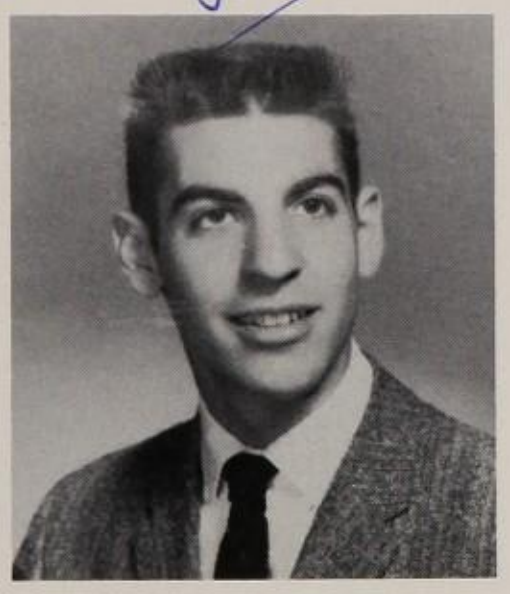
ELIZABETH ANN GARAFALO

May 6, 1944
48 Hillside Avenue

Betty
Commercial

"Happy go lucky, ever so free, nothing on earth bothers me." Talkative, happy-go-lucky, infectious laugh, likes bookkeeping.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle Board 2, 3, 4, Assistant Editor 4; Geography Club 2; Pep Club 1; Miracle Home Room Collector 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Babysitting, swimming, horseback riding, driving a "hot" Chevy. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Miracle Pin 4; Pep Club 1.



JOHN MICHAEL GENZIANO

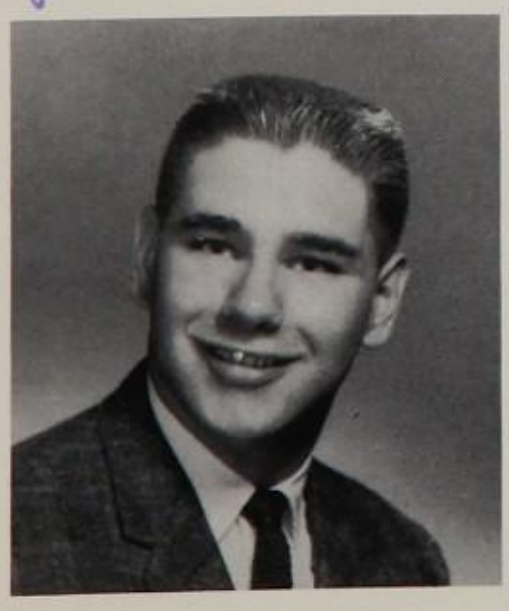
November 16, 1944
60 Stanton Avenue

Genz
General

"I understand completely." Quiet, nice manner, plays the drums for the Royalteens.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle Board 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Playing in the Royalteens, a certain girl, bombing around with the boys.

Best Luck
Carl
to a swell guy
best wishes



RONALD STEVEN GARBUS

April 4, 1944
153 Wetmore Avenue

Garb
General

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." Good dancer, friendly, a great guy to know, likes sports.

ACTIVITIES: Basketball; Ping-Pong Club 1, 2; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Softball, swimming, driving.

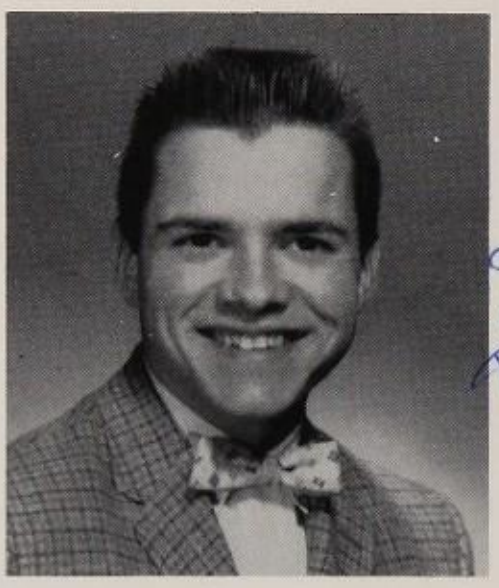
CAROL VIRGINIA GODDARD

September 8, 1944
77 South Main Street

Commercial

"Nothing." With Bill, quiet, works at Alyn's Book and Gift Shop.

ACTIVITIES: Library Aid 1, 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bill, french fries, dancing. AWARDS: Library Aid Pin 1, 2.



RICHARD JENE GOULET

May 5, 1944
Wakefield Blvd.

Dick
General

"Want to drag?" With the boys, a joker, scientific.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Cars, girls, water skiing.

Coe,
Good Luck
To a Fellow member
of the Second Club.
I'll never Forget that
"Ply" from Miami.
-Dick
'62

WILLIAM GERHART GRAVES

April 16, 1944
151 Hinsdale Avenue

Bill
College

"There seems to be a slight problem." A musician, sarcastic, intellectual.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Gym Club 3, 4; Ping Pong Club 3; French Club 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Playing with the Royal Teens, driving to Torrington. AWARDS: Glee Club lyre and bar, Gym Club "G", New England Music Festival letter.

LUCILLE JOYCE HERO

September 29, 1944
East Hartland

Lue
General

"Sickening." With Rose, blond, friendly.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming, dancing.

EUGENE JOSEPH HANLEY

August 17, 1944
38 South Main Street

Jay
General

"Save it." Straight-forward, likeable, works at First National.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Hunting, sports, parties, swimming.

GAIL MARIE HOXIE

October 13, 1944
201 Rockwell Street

Business College

"Love the beautiful, seek out the true, wish for the good, and the best do." Energetic, engaged to Jim, sophisticated.

ACTIVITIES: Tri-Y 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2; Pep Club 1; Cheering 2, 3; Newsboard Typist 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Horses, piano, working in law office, Jim. AWARDS: Cheering Charm 3; Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; 50,60 word typing certificate; 60,80 word shorthand certificate.

I Can't Think of
I hope you'll have a
Very Future Happy
Don't forget
the class
picnic.
Gail

JACK HOXIE

March 31, 1944
Norfolk Road

General

"What's the story here?" Athletic, with Sheila, life of the party.

ACTIVITIES: Science Club 1, 2; Varsity Club 3, 4; Football 1, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Football, hunting, parties. AWARDS: Football "G."

MARGARET MARY JACKMAN

March 1, 1943
130 Elm Street

Peggy
General

"Slowly, it's needed." Talkative, humorous, hates being called Margaret.

ACTIVITIES: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Miracle Board 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bombing around, bowling, swimming, parties, and CYO. AWARDS: Miracle Pin.

ROBERT PAUL KOENEMUND

January 21, 1944
North Main Street

Bob
General

"You talk too much." Musician, a mechanic, hot rodder.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Working on cars. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 2.

NATALIE ANNE KAUPPI

April 16, 1944
1 Litchfield Street

Nat
General

"Look, I got a letter." Pleasant, pretty, neat.

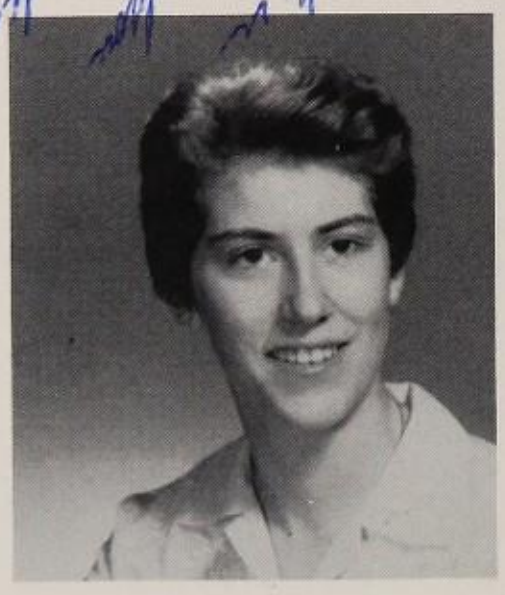
ACTIVITIES: Ski Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sports, hearing from Ed, bombing around. AWARDS: Ski Club "G" 1.

BARRY ALAN LAWRENCE

October 10, 1944 — Limey
Holmes Drive — Scientific

"Thunder is good, thunder is impressive; but it is lightning that does the work." English, scientific, drives a red MG.

ACTIVITIES: Ski Club 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sports cars, driving, working.



JOANN GLADYS LAZZARO

September 11, 1944 — Sam
21 Crescent Street — College

"No limit, but the sky." Athletic, hilarious, dependable.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle 4; Latin Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 3, 4; Newsboard 3, 4; Exchange Editor 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Reading, softball, Sigma Tau Delta Sorority—Sergeant-at-Arms 4. AWARDS: Miracle Pin 4.

JANET ANNE LEFEBVRE

July 1, 1944 — Jan
51 Maloney Court — Commercial

"Merrily, merrily shall I live now until I make my marriage vow." With the girls, typist, dresses well.

ACTIVITIES: Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Future Nurses Club 2, 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bombing around with Mary and the girls, games, dances, clowning around.

GERARD LEGER LEMELIN

September 14, 1941 — Jerry
135 North Main Street — General

"If it's worth waiting for, it's worth having." Works at Clock Shop, quiet, drives an Oldsmobile.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Working.

Best of Luck
Jerry

DIANE MARIE LeGEYT

September 5, 1943 — Di
East Hartland — General

"Why can't everyone be contented like me?" From Hartland, vivacious, with the girls.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Tom, swimming, badminton.

MARIANNE ELOISE LEMELIN

March 1, 1943
135 North Main Street — General

"Little strokes fell great oaks." Shy, artist, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Geography Club 2; Miracle Board 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sewing, drawing.

PAULETTE VICTORIA LEMELIN

October 9, 1944
135 North Main Street — General

"Quiet, please!" Quiet, pleasant.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Junior Third Order, swimming, driving, movies.

MARGARET MARIE LACASCIO

December 21, 1942 — Peggy
36 Glendale Avenue — Commercial

"If at first you don't succeed, try, try again." Petite, lively, cute.

ACTIVITIES: Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Norm, working, Pep Club, with the girls, all sports. AWARDS: Pep Club 2, 3.

JESSICA MARION MARTIN

April 29, 1944 — Jessie
Martin Road — College

"I am wealthy, in my friends." Very friendly, good school spirit, happy-go-lucky.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Miracle Board 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Horseback riding, swimming, C.Y.O., riding around, reading.

RUSSELL COE MANCHESTER

July 30, 1943 — Coe
29 Manchester Heights — General

"Lost time is never found again." Scientific, likes cars, unpredictable.

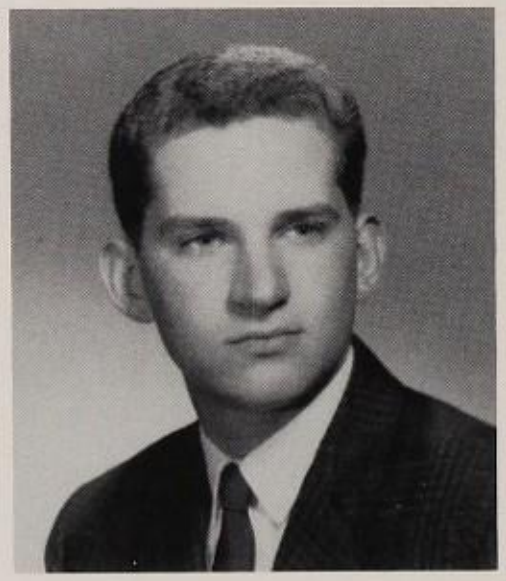
ACTIVITIES: Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Cars, sports, and girls.

ROBERT SPENCER McKIE

April 28, 1944 — Bob
Manchester Heights — General

"I'm not tight, just thrifty." Serious, thrifty, works at Colts'.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Librarian 2, 3; Vice-President 4; Song Twisters 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Devotional Committee 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Scouting, music, camping, hiking, Colt & Company, Youth Fellowship. AWARDS: Glee Club Lyre and Bar, TIME Magazine—Honorable Mention.



CLIFTON JOSEPH MELLEN

April 16, 1944 — Cliff
52 Pratt Street — General

"Ask me if I care." Good musician, popular, joker, talker.

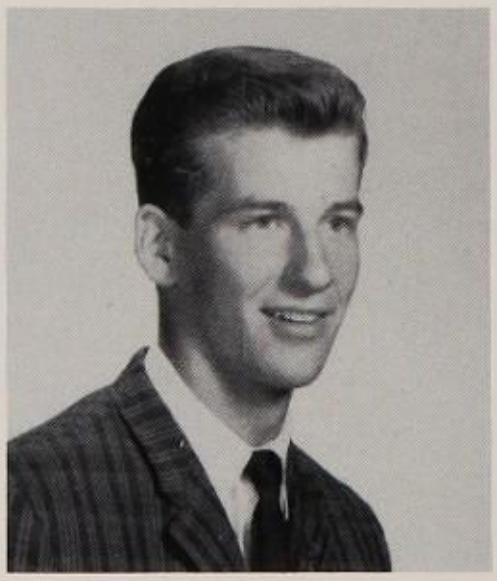
ACTIVITIES: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 2; President 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 2, Vice-President 2; News Board 2, 3; Circulation Manager 2; Business Mgr. 3; Song Twisters 3, 4; Student Council 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Music, cars, swimming, dancing. AWARDS: Band—Lyre 2, 3; Pin 4—John Philip Sousa Award; New England Music Festival, Band and Chorus; Music "G" 2, 3, 4; Song Twisters 3, 4.

ROBERT JOSEPH MOONEY

August 3, 1944 — "Moons"
62 Benton Street — Scientific

"Wait 'til next year." With the boys, scientific, athletic.

ACTIVITIES: Camera Club 3, Treas. 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Baseball, bowling, driving, C.Y.O. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2; Trinity Book Prize.



PETER PAUL MORASKI

February 17, 1943 — "Sextus Petrus"
32 Benton Street — College

"Courage is resistance to fear—not the absence of fear." Good-looking, athletic, well dressed.

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Club; Latin Club 2, Pres. 2; Football; Baseball. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Tennis, music, skating, girls.

PASQUALE JOSEPH MORI

September 18, 1943 — Patsy
94 Maple Street — Commercial

"Never give up until you have reached your goal." Athletic, popular, good accordionist.

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Club, Treas. 4; Key Club; Football. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Football, guns, playing cards, hunting. AWARDS: Football "G" and bars.

GWEN PHYLLIS MORTON

December 24, 1944 — Gremlin
R.F.D.#3 — Commercial

"Man is the only animal that blushes. Or needs to." Athletic, with Bob, straightforward.

ACTIVITIES: Ski Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Pep Club; Band 3. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bob, skiing, swimming. AWARDS: Scholarship "G."

Bob
You'll be very successful in whatever your attempt if you work real hard.
Best Luck
Gwen

THOMAS ANTHONY MUDANO

June 16, 1944 — Tom
7 Main Street — General

"A person is as good as his word." Good-looking, popular, dresses well.

ACTIVITIES: Key Club; Glee Club; Dramatic Club. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Working, skiing, swimming, Diane. AWARDS: Glee Club; Dramatic Club Pin.

Tom
Never forget 4th period Saturday.
Best of luck in the future
Mary Ann

MARY FRANCES MURRAY

August 29, 1944 — "Mouse"
North Main Street — General

"Pack your bags." Active, with the girls, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Gym Club 3, 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Parties, boys, swimming, bombing around, "Scarp's." AWARDS: Gym Club.

PATRICIA VERNE OLSON

March 6, 1944 — "Red"
220 East Lake Street — General

"Play the roll." Red hair, vivacious, a joker.

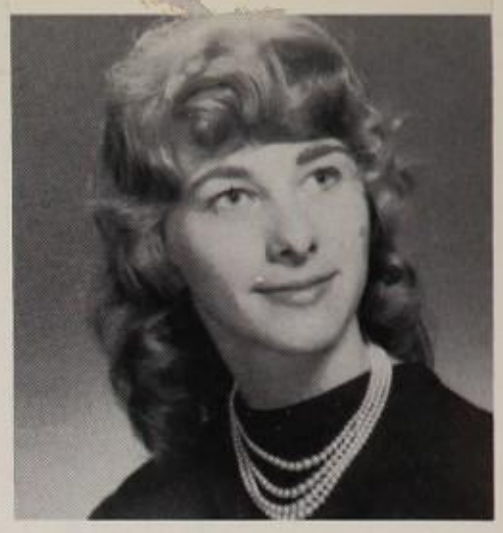
ACTIVITIES: Future Nurses Club. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming, parties, bombing around, "Toots," and Scarp's.

KAREN ELIZABETH NICHOLS

February 1, 1944
145 Walnut Street — College

"Strive for the best, and the best will come." Blonde, popular, daydreamer.

ACTIVITIES: Girls' Chorus 1, 2, Pres. 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, swimming, dancing, tennis, knitting, Theta Rho 3, 4; Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 1, 2, 3, 4; Scribe 4. AWARDS: Music Lyre, Glee Club, Dramatic Club Pin.



MARY ELIZABETH OLSZANSKI

November 14, 1942
42 Upland Road
General

"Love makes all hearts gentle." Pleasant, with Butch, pretty blonde hair.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Butch, artistic work. AWARDS: 40 word typing certificate.

JAMES DENNIS O'MEARA

October 11, 1943
97 Glendale Avenue
Jimmy
General

"Leave well enough alone." Joker, good-looking, well-dressed.

ACTIVITIES: Ping-Pong Club 3, 4, Treas. 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Playing cards, driving around, especially Janny.

MICHAEL LEON PODHAJECHI

November 22, 1943
373 North Main Street
Mike
College

"Help!" Friendly, scientific, a joker.

ACTIVITIES: Science Club 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Water skiing, baseball, pizza, Plato.

GLENN KENNETH ROBERTS

March 2, 1944
East Hartland
General

"I'll never tell." Blonde, quiet, likes sports.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Girls, riding around, water skiing, horseback riding, baseball, eating.

GAIL ADELE ROARKE

October 18, 1944
East Hartland
Commercial

"If it's worth having, it's worth waiting for." Very pretty, well dressed, with Lloyd.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Skating, bowling, riding around in a convertible.

LINDA CLAIRE ROSANSKY

February 4, 1944
11 Main Street

Commercial

"Smile and the world smiles with you." Well dressed, with Cheryl, petite.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club; Band. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Craig, swimming, dancing, riding around. AWARDS: Glee Club Lyre and Bar, Band 2, 3.

BARBARA ANN SESKO

March 15, 1944
153 Oak Street

Bobbie
College

"Life is what you make it." Active, well dressed, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Miracle Room Collector 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Leaders' Club 3, 4; J.V. Cheerleader 3, 4; Sophomore Ensemble; Miracle Board 3, 4; Latin Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Tennis, cheering, bowling, Marietta; Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 1, 2, 3, 4. AWARDS: 40 Word Typing Award; Music Lyre and Bar, Cheering Charm, Miracle Pin.

JO-ANN NANCY SHOWL

August 8, 1943
65 Upson Avenue

Jo
General

"Really!" Friendly, works at First National, always driving.

ACTIVITIES: Nurses Club 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bombing around, parties, First National.

CECILIA ANN STANNARD

April 18, 1943
501 East Lake Street

Cecil
General

"Be patient and accept things as they come." Engaged to Bucky, seamstress, works at Desci's.

ACTIVITIES: Future Nurses Club; Geography Club 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Ski Club. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bucky, C.Y.O., Junior Third Order, sewing, Miss K of C in Diamond Jubilee, skating. AWARDS: Winsted Woman's Club Sewing Contest 3.

SERENA MARY SORRENTINO

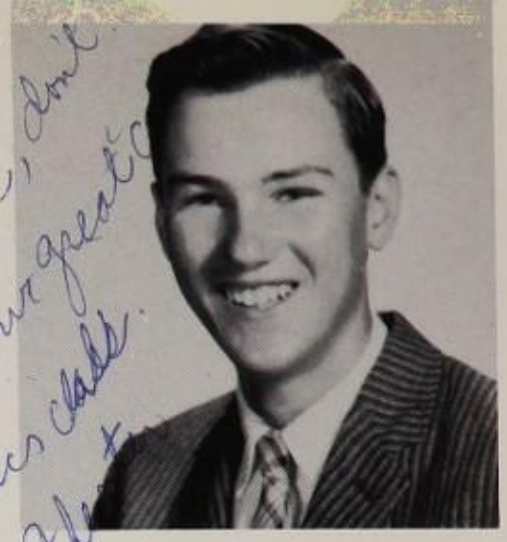
April 25, 1944
267 Rockwell Street

College

"All good things come to him who waits." Talkative, friendly, active.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Girls' Chorus 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Swimming, bowling, tennis, TALL boys, Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 2, 3, 4. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1; Dramatic Club Pin.

HAROLD ROY STANNARD JR.



February 18, 1944
275 Walnut Street

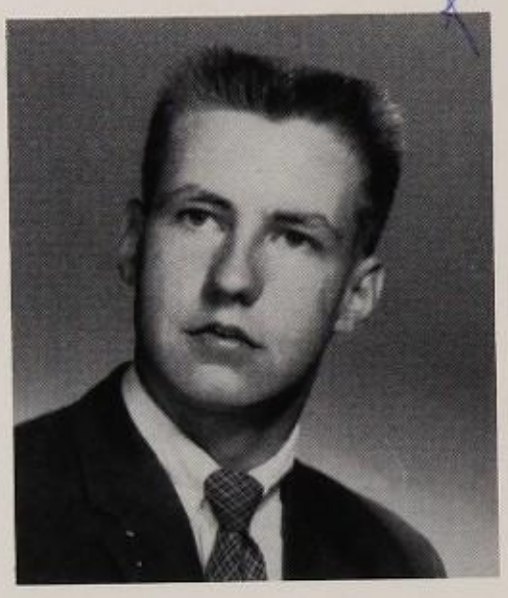
"Skeeter"
General

"A good man never dies." Likes sports, works at A & P, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Science Club; Geography Club 2; Varsity Club 3, 4; Key Club; Ski Club; Baseball 2; Basketball 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Skiing, waterskiing, hunting, fishing, coin collecting, basketball, baseball, A & P.

Best of luck in the future, don't forget our great times, classes, Skeeter

GERALD STEWART TANNER



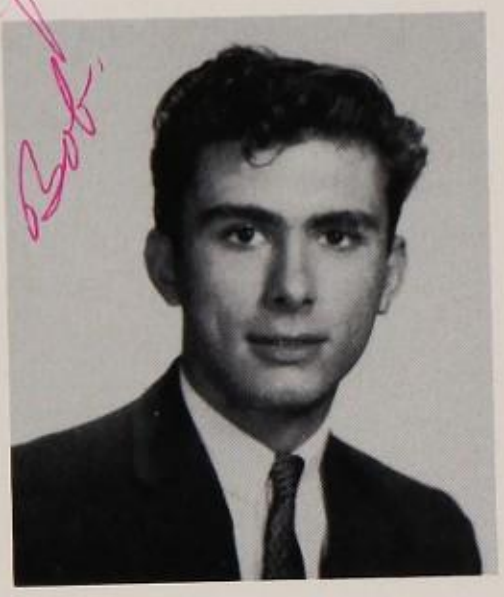
March 15, 1943
31 Brook Street

"Jerry the Kid"
General

"Bright eyes indicate curiosity; black eyes, too much." A joker, athletic, active.

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Club; Football 1, 4; Baseball 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: All sports, Terry. AWARDS: Football Letter, Baseball Letter and Bar, Basketball Letter.

Best of luck to my good friend Cae. Bob.



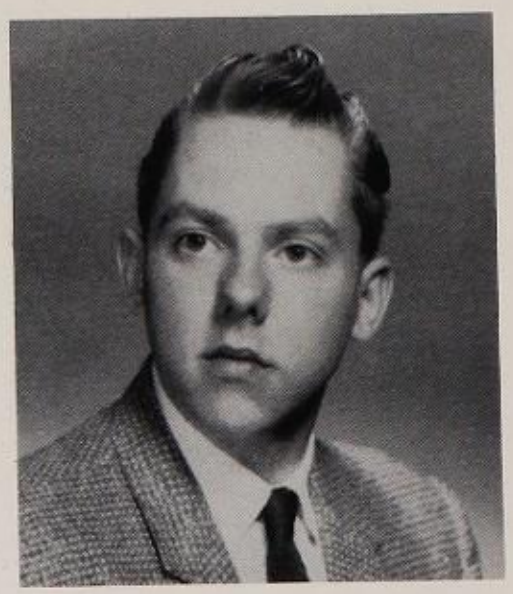
ROBERT HENRY THOMAS

November 24, 1943
Platt Hill

Bob
General

"Nothing so needs reforming as other people's habits." Likes to bomb around, well dressed, likes sports.

ACTIVITIES: Science Club 1. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Drag strips, cars, boating, Doreen, and fishing.



JUDITH GAYE VAN ALSTYNE

March 29, 1944
76 Bridge Street

Judi
College

"On with the show." Active, intelligent, sarcastic.

ACTIVITIES: Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Library Aide 2; Secretary 2; Special Library Aide 3, 4; Newsboard 2, 3, 4; Novelty Editor 4; Miracle Board 1, 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Reading, enameling on copper, planning for college. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Music Lyre; Music Bar; NEDT Certificate 3; Newsboard Pin 4; Dramatic Club Pin 4; Library Aide Pendant 2.

PAUL EUGENE TURGEON

December 28, 1943
106 Holabird Avenue

General

"Teachers give too much homework." Likes sports, quiet, with Tom.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bowling, baseball, riding around.

DIANE CLAIRE WALD

March 12, 1944 — Di
North Main Street — College

"Ours is not to reason why; ours is just to do or die." Good friend, works at A & P, practical.

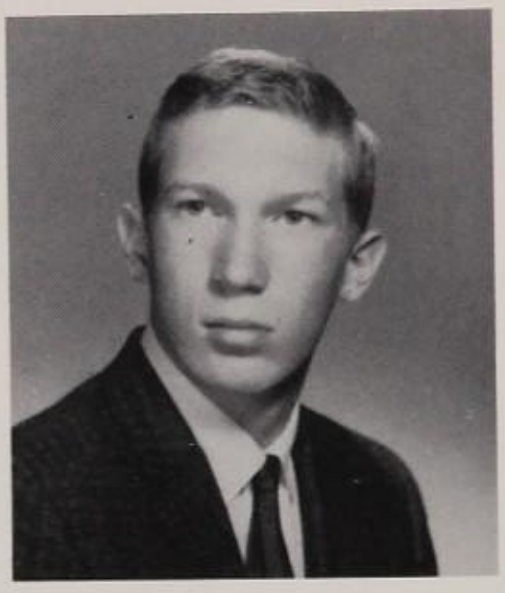
ACTIVITIES: Leaders' Club 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Sigma Tau Delta Sorority 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Swimming, Tommy, bowling. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2; Glee Club; Dramatic Club Pin.

LAUREL ETTA WALD

January 21, 1944 — Laurie
R.F.D.#1 — Commercial

"Small and wise; but in those big eyes mischief lies." Likes sports, friendly, talkative.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Ice skating, swimming, horseback riding. AWARDS: Typing and Shorthand Certificates.



DANA LINCOLN WALDRON

January 8, 1944 — Wally
R.F.D.#1 — General

"Yea!!" Likes sports, good-looking, works at Mencucinni's.

OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Loafing, hunting. ACTIVITIES: Key Club; Pres. 4.

PATRICIA MARIE WHYTE

May 30, 1944 — Pat
32 Grove Street — Commercial

"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men." Quiet, works at Grant's, blushing.

ACTIVITIES: Latin Club 2; Ski Club 2; Student Council 3, 4; Newsboard 2; Miracle Board 4; Co-Typing Editor 4; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, Vice-Pres. 2; Sophomore Ensemble. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Grange, Norfolk. AWARDS: Scholarship "G" 1, 2, 3; Miracle Pin 4; Music Lyre 2; 60 Word Shorthand Certificate; 40 Word Typing Certificate.

DOREEN SUSANNE WEBB

October 24, 1942 — DoDo
105 Elm Street — General

"Smile; it won't hurt you." Talkative, laughing, with Rita.

ACTIVITIES: Nurses Club. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Bombing around, hanging around with Rita, Pete's, C.Y.O.

WAYNE WARREN WILLIAMS

April 28, 1944
Platt Hill — Industrial Arts

"Don't bite off more than you can chew." Likes sports, good dancer, popular.

ACTIVITIES: Science Club 1, 2; Key Club 2, 3, 4; Football Manager. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Dancing, waterskiing, girls in general.

RUTH ANN YOUMATZ

December 11, 1944 — Ruthie
443 North Main Street — General

"To be good, it has to be jazzy." Has a funny laugh, likes math, friendly.

ACTIVITIES: Future Nurses Club 2, 3, 4; Treas. 4. OUTSIDE INTERESTS: Skiing, job at Litchfield County Hospital, swimming. AWARDS: Scholarship "G."

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Stephanie Dobbs—Recording Sec'y; William Flaherty—Adviser; Susan Dobbs—Treas. SECOND ROW: Dennis DeLisle—Vice-President; Patricia Whyte—Corresponding Sec'y; Charles Ferrante—President.

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93.53

SALUTATORIAN

PATRICIA MARIE WHYTE
92.98

JANICE KATHARINE GABELMANN
91.76

GAIL MARIE HOXIE
91.24

ELIZABETH ANN GARAFALO
90.31

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Charles Ferrante and
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Susan Dobbs and
Norman Chamberlin

BEST LOOKING

Gail Roarke and
Norman Chamberlin

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Barbara Sesko and
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Jim DiVita

MOST ATHLETIC

Sue Dobbs and Jim DiVita

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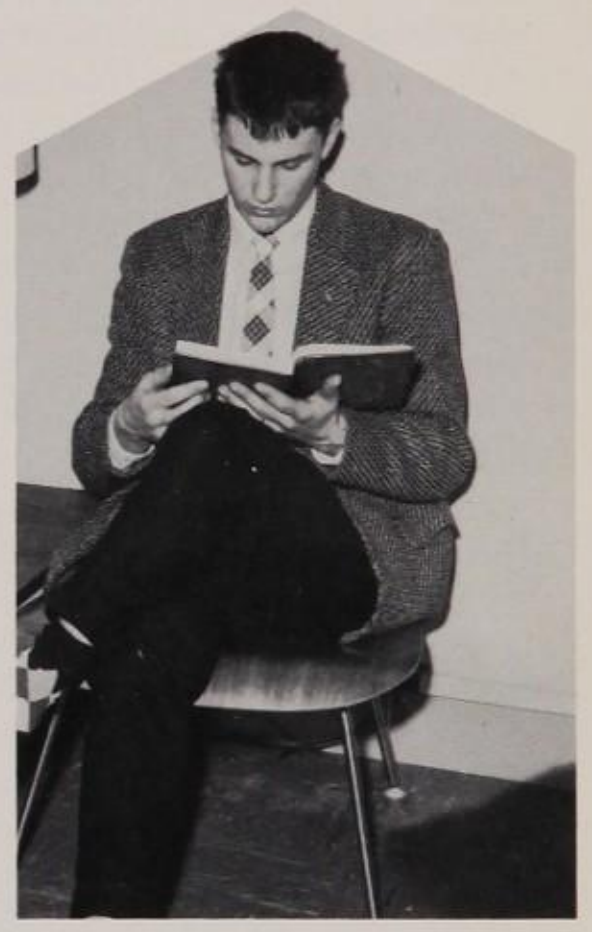

Harold Stannard

CLASS DREAMERS

CLASS JOKERS

Cecilia Stannard, Dave Daly
Serena Casey, Charles DiVita

BEST DANCERS

Mary Murray and Wayne Williams

Class History

Dressed in caps and gowns of gold and blue, we, the class of 1962, stand on the stage waiting for our graduation exercises to begin. Our minds flash back to another June, just four years ago. Trembling with fear, we were herded into the unfamiliar class rooms of the old Gilbert School, where we were bombarded with ominous-looking tests which questioned our ability to distinguish a hand from a foot or a circle from a square. Then, equipped with "Guides to Gilbert," we quickly lost ourselves in the massive golden halls.

September of 1958 marked the outset of our high school career. We applied ourselves diligently to our new studies. Our scientific Madame Defarge, Miss Davis, knitted our way through general science. Although Mrs. Deming treated us to many research reports, we were privileged to escape the dread mythology.

We lent our enthusiasm to every school activity. *Onions in the Stew* starred Gail Hoxie, Judi Van Alstyne, Ellen Barrett, Karen Nichols, and Bill Graves. Heartily we cheered our J.V. football squad, especially Nummy Chamberlin, John Colavecchio, Jim DiVita, Jay Hanley, Jack Hoxie, and Patsy Mori. The varsity with a 5-2 record, gained second place in the North Central League. Gail Hoxie represented us on the Student Council.

Nummy Chamberlin, Jim DiVita, and Ronny Garbus contributed to the J.V. basketball squad's 12-10 record, their first winning season in several years. Jim also became a promising member of the varsity team, which played in the C.I.A.C. class "B" tournament. The Glee Club initiated the Winter Wonderland semi-formal. In January we first encountered Gilbert's celebrated mid-year exams. However, the T.A.P. minstrel brought some well-deserved relief.

Spring found us participating in the Band's exchange concert with Ipswich, Massachusetts, and the Glee Club's exchange concert with Rutland, Vermont. Eager Latin students were elected to act as slaves at the Latin banquet, a success despite the fixed gladiatorial combats and the hours of dish-washing which followed. Three ensembles from the Band received medals for outstanding auditions for the New England Music Festival. May saw our first Gilbert prom "Sayonara."

By June, with the new Gilbert School completed, all our thoughts centered on Williams Avenue. Although looking forward to attending the new school, we regretted leaving the old building with all its memories—chapel with Mr. Moseley, the cozy little bookroom, the tremendously busy lunch hours, and the hectic pizza and brownie sales in the lobby. Nevertheless, we enjoyed the thought of becoming sophomores.

After a leisurely two-month vacation, we plunged into a new world of extra-long days, locker combinations, lunch shifts, and gym classes. We felt far superior to the "lowly" freshmen as we mastered such advanced subjects as biology and bookkeeping. A prime source of early-morning entertainment was Miss McGowan's toboggan ride to school in the winter.

The start of the football season found Gail Hoxie, our new cheerleader, rooting for Nummy, Patsy, and Jim. Our J.V. team, including Bill Graves, Jay Hanley, and Bob Mooney, aided the varsity to a 3-4 record. Representing us on the Student Council were Ellen Barrett and Gail Hoxie. In November, "Nuts in May," a Dramatic Club production, featured Judi Van Alstyne and Bob McKie.

We helped originate many new clubs. The Latin Club sponsored another banquet, which was taped for a television program. The Auxiliary Council performed duties to assist the Student Council, with representatives from every home room. The Gym Club members demonstrated their athletic skills during intermission of the Thanksgiving Alumni game. The Geography Club, with Marilyn Fracasso as president, took an educational trip to New York. Programs planned by the new Devotional Committee replaced chapel meetings. Mr. Fortuna reorganized the Varsity Club, open to all boys who have earned athletic letters. The Song Twisters, a new group of carefully-selected singers, sang with the Glee Club.

Jim, Nummy, Ronnie, and Barry represented us on the basketball court, as the Varsity held a 7-14 record. After enjoying Winter Wonderland II, we buckled down for exams. Spring of 1960 was a busy one for us all—the Glee Club attended the Boston Pops Concert and presented an exchange concert with Rutland, Vermont; the Band performed in an exchange concert with Maynard, Massachusetts; eager students attended *A Winter's Tale* in Stratford; and many of us first began to menace the road with our little orange tickets. Katie, Ellen, Ginny, Jeanne, Sharon, Cliff, Judi, and Patty were voted onto the *News* board. Bob Mooney, Johnny, and Pete scored for us on the baseball diamond. As the year came to a close, we all enjoyed the prom, "South Pacific." Having triumphed over final exams, we were rewarded with ten long weeks of vacation.

In September we eagerly assumed the responsibility of being upperclassmen. We found many changes at Gilbert—Mr. Nichols had succeeded Mr. Moseley as principal, a language lab had been installed, and faculty anxiously compiled records for the forthcoming evaluation.

Sue and Gail cheered Johnny, Jim, Patsy, Nummy, and Pete on the new Van Why field, as the Varsity football team scored a 2-6 record. Aiding the J.V. team were John Genziano and Jack Hoxie. We elected Ellen and Patty to the Student Council for one year. Ellen became vice-president, and Katie was chosen as treasurer. Further elections showed Nummy as our class president, Jimmy as vice-president, and Patsy as secretary-treasurer. Members of the new Leaders Club gave up study halls to teach gym classes.

Our varsity basketball team, including Jim, Nummy, Ronnie, and Skeet, scored a 6-13 record. Steph and Barbara Sesko spirited the J.V. games on the new junior varsity cheerleading squad. Bob McKie and Katie represented us on the Devotional Committee. Business students stubbed their fingers on their typewriters and squinted at their "shorthand," while English classes suffered the terrors of the guillotine in *A Tale of Two Cities*. The Glee Club teamed with the Litchfield County Choral Union to present Handel's *The Messiah*, which was filmed for television. Final exams and the TAP minstrel climaxed a busy winter season.

In spring the members of the *News* board took their annual trip to the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention in New York. The Dramatic Club produced *Belles on Their Toes*, featuring Judi Van Alstyne and Tom Mudano. Bill Graves, Linda Rosansky, and Tom represented us at the New England Music Festival. With the arrival of our class rings, we realized that graduation was only a year away. English students again attended a performance at Stratford, seeing *Twelfth Night*. The Glee Club traveled to Boston for the Boston Pops Concert.

Ellen, Sue, Skeet, Nummy, Jack, Ronnie, and Jim were elected to serve on the committee for the prom, "Shangri-La." As the year ended Judi, Ellen, Cliff, and Pete were chosen as representatives at Laurel Girls' and Nutmeg Boys' States. After ten months of hard studying, we resolved to enjoy a few weeks before embarking upon our last year at Gilbert.

All too soon, September found us invading the Golden Halls for our last "first day." We took possession of almost every club: Ellen, Student Council and *News*; Janice, *Miracle*; Judi, Dramatic Club; Cliff, Glee Club, Key Club, and Band; Katie, Tri-Y; Gwen, Ski Club; Ruth, Future Nurses Club; Joann, Latin Club; Coe and Mike, Science Club; Jim, Varsity Club.

Charlie Ferrante, Dennis Delisle, Steph Dobbs, Pat Whyte, and Sue Dobbs were elected as senior class officers. Cliff and Sue were chosen to represent us on Student Council. Bob, Katie, and Jessie were senior members of the Devotional Committee.

Katie, Sharon, and Janice became honorary members of the Winsted Woman's Club. Ellen received the D.A.R. award, and Charlie was awarded the Bausch and Lomb medal.

On the football field, our senior gridiron stars—Jim, Nummy, Johnny, Jack, Pete, Patsy, and Dennie—held a 4-1-1 record for the season. Nummy, Jim, Johnny, and Jack were elected to the All League team. The Dobbs twins sparked the cheering squad. November 11 "Gold in the Hills," a rip-roaring melodrama, was presented by the faculty to raise money for their scholarship fund. Mr. Beecher endeared himself to us all forever.

Thanksgiving saw the annual Alumni Basketball game at which the Varsity trounced the Alumni 53-51 and the Seniors whipped the J.V. squad 55-54. Playing for the Seniors were Patsy, Dennie, Jack, Jerry, Dana, Dave, Dennie, Barry, Jay, and Bob. Senior Cheerleaders included Pat Olsen, Mary, Sandy, Peg, Ginny, Gail, and Pat Whyte. Varsity squad members were Jim, Nummy, Skeet, and Ronnie. During the fall, our first cross country team was organized by Mr. Ackerman.

Senior English students attended *Macbeth* in Stratford. Glee Club presented its annual Christmas Concert, "Music in the Air," in December. Dramatic Club's "A Christmas Carol" starred Bob McKie. After the TAP campaign, led by Steph, and mid-year exams, we headed into our final and busiest semester. Linda Rosansky, Bill Graves, Cliff Mellen, Bob Koenemund, and Mike Clark represented Gilbert at New England Music Festival. The Dramatic Club presented another successful play, *The Last Leaf;* the Glee Club exchanged concerts with Portsmouth, New Hampshire; and more students viewed a Shakespearean play in Stratford.

Now, as we receive our long-awaited diplomas, we realize that our four years at Gilbert, among the happiest in our lives, can never be relived or forgotten. Perhaps the memories remaining the longest will be defeating Torrington on its home court, filling chem lab with sulfur fumes, the thrill of leaving school periods early, and "twisting" in the caf to the music of the Royalteens. Soon our class will go separate ways—to college, into the armed forces, or to work; however, we will always be united by our memories of Gilbert.

Call Me	*Apt To Be*	*Known To Be*	*Hates To Be*	*Going To Be*
Kathy Alexander	with Diane	the last one	bored	in college
Katie Barrett	having a ball	with Hans	thick people	a nurse
Ellen Barrett	in a hurry	laughing	late	a teacher
Kathy Barshaw	talking to "Harvey"	quick tempered	rushed	a secretary
Barry Bayette	at Mencuccini's	in New Britain	at Mencuccini's	in college
Ginny Bazzano	with Ellen	friendly	nagged	a teacher
Cheryl Beecher	with Karen and Anita	quiet	nagged	a hairdresser
Walter Benedict	fishing	woman hater	late	in the Navy/CB's
Kathleen Boothe	in Home Ec.	quiet	in school	undecided
Denny Cappabianca	in trouble	laughing	working	in the service
Sandy Cappellina	at Grant's	with George	rushed	in college
Serena Casey	enjoying "free time"	conceited	doubted	Torr. U. Conn.
Norm Chamberlin	on athletic field	with Sue	without Sue	in college
Mike Clark	bombing around	doing nothing	kept waiting	in college
John Colavecchio	riding around	where the fun is	doing homework	in college
David Daly	with the boys	at a party	walking	working
Alice Dautrich	with Cecilia	writing letters	near conceited people	a nurse
Marilyn Davies	in Chemistry	working	late	in college
Jeanne Davis	home	quiet	laughed at	a writer
Gordon Dayton	undecided	good friend	at Mencuccini's	in the service
Dennis DeLisle	with the boys	in a crowd	at Mencuccini's	in the Air Force
Lyn Desmond	in Hartland	babysitting	quiet	an IBM worker
Bill Dillon	with Charlie	late	early	an engineer
Charles DiVita	bowling	with Nancy	without a car	in the Air Force
Jimmy DiVita	on the field	with Nancy	walking	in college
Stephanie Dobbs	having a good time	where the excitement is	bored	in college
Sue Dobbs	fighting with Steph	with Nummy	without Nummy	in college
Doris Dombrowski	typing	mischievous	embarrassed	a typist
Sharon Dunn	doing homework	industrious	interrupted	a teacher
Paula Eisenlohr	roaming	with Jimmy	stood up	a stewardess
Barbara English	writing to Jerry	Jerry's girl	without him	married
David Fancher	at First National	with Dick	idle	in the Coast Guard
Charles Ferrante	with Bill	a bowler	late	in college
William Fiske	with Carol	with Carol	ignored	a photographer
Ruth Flotat	working at Hospital	with the girls	mad	a nurse
Marilyn Fracasso	smiling	helpful	conceited people	in college??
Janice Gabelmann	working on Miracle	busy	oral talks	a math teacher
Betty Garafalo	talking	happy-go-lucky	doing homework	an accountant
Ronald Garbus	with John	friendly	chemistry	in college
John Genziano	with Doug	on time?	working	in college??
Carol Goddard	with Bill	with Bill	yelled at	a Beautician
Dick Goulet	working at home	in Torrington	working Friday nights	in the Air Force
William Graves	bombing around	a piano player	studying Chemistry	in college
Jay Hanley	with Sharie	in Riverton	nagged	in service
Lucile Hero	messing around	with Rosie	doing homework	an IBM worker

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Gail Hoxie	working at H, L, & F	engaged	unoccupied	married
Jack Hoxie	with Sheila	joking	without his truck	in college
Peggy Jackman	with Gail	talking	yelled at	a nurse
Natalie Kauppi	writing letters	J-V cheerleader	conceited people	in college
Bob Koenemund	quiet	with Judy	doing homework	undecided
Barry Lawrence	particular	an MG fan	kept waiting	an engineer
Joann Lazzaro	at Serena's	joking	late	in college
Janet Lefebvre	bombing around	with the girls	conceited people	working in Hartford
Diane LeGeyt	with Tom	in the Business Rooms	yelled at	working
Gerard Lemelin	in Home Room	quiet	giving oral talks	in the Navy
Marianne Lemelin	in History	shy	alone	a hairdresser
Paulette Lemelin	in Home Ec.	quiet	studying	working
Margaret Locassio	with the girls	happy	teased	working
Coe Manchester	experimenting	bombing around	bored	in school
Jessie Martin	sleeping	giving rides	kept waiting	in college
Robert McKie	at Glee Club	thrifty	broke	in college
Cliff Mellen	with Karen	playing the trumpet	idle	a music teacher
Robert Mooney	fooling around	an athlete?	broke	in college
Peter Moraski	playing football	with the girls	studying	in college
Patsy Mori	playing football	an accordionist	yelled at	a business man
Gwen Morton	with Bob	thinking of Bob	yelled at	in college
Tom Mudano	working	everywhere	broke	in college
Mary Murray	in Torrington	laughing	kept waiting	a hairdresser
Karen Nichols	with Cliff	blond	studying	a secretary
Pat Olson	with Tommy	talkative	home	working
Mary Olszanski	with Butch	quiet	home week nights	happy
Jimmy O'Meara	everywhere	with the boys	crowded	in college
Mike Podhajecki	working	sleeping	wakened	in college
Gail Roarke	with Lloyd	in Room 204	doing homework	working
Glenn Roberts	with Linda	going steady	alone	with Linda
Linda Rosansky	with Craig	friendly	kidded	working
Barbara Sesko	thinking of Jim	cheering	doing homework	in college
Jo-Ann Showl	bombing around	with Joan	kept waiting	an office worker
Serena Sorrentino	talking	very tall	alone	in college
Cecilia Stannard	in Torrington	with Bucky	alone	married
Harold Stannard	at the A & P	with Wayne	stuck-up girls	undecided
Gerald Tanner	anywhere	wild	serious	toolmaker
Bob Thomas	in Torrington	driving	without gas	in college
Paul Turgeon	with Tom	at Pete's	doing homework	in the Air Force
Judi Van Alstyne	at rehearsal	in everything	misunderstood	in the foreign service
Diane Wald	with Kathy	ambitious	in crowds	in college
Laurel Wald	talking to boys	friendly	conceited people	a post graduate
Dana Waldron	working	happy	waiting	undecided
Doreen Webb	with Rita	laughing	sad	working
Pat Whyte	working at Grants	blushing	near conceited people	in college
Wayne Williams	late for class	talking	doing homework	in the service
Ruth Ann Youmatz	eating	right	contradicted	in college

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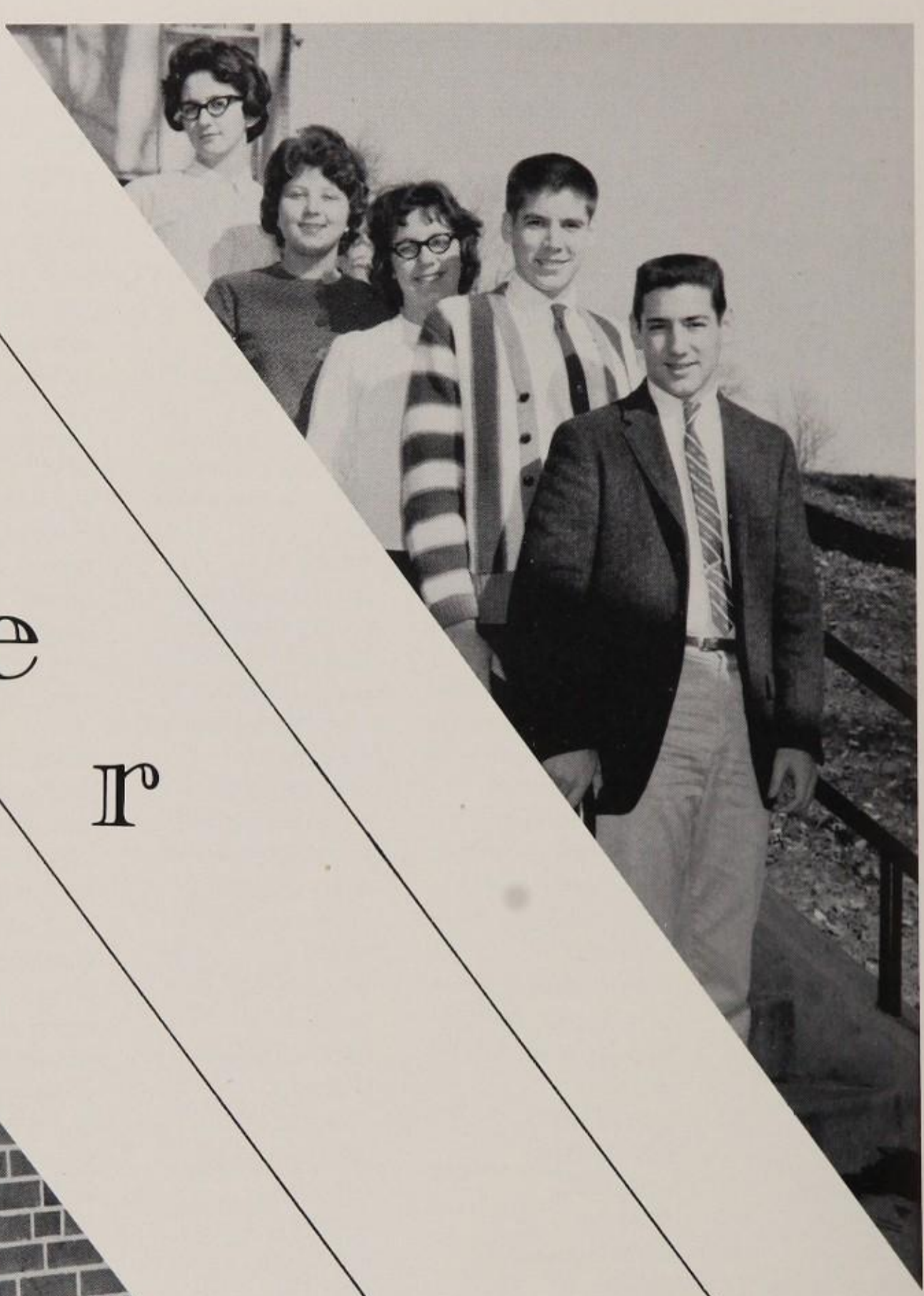

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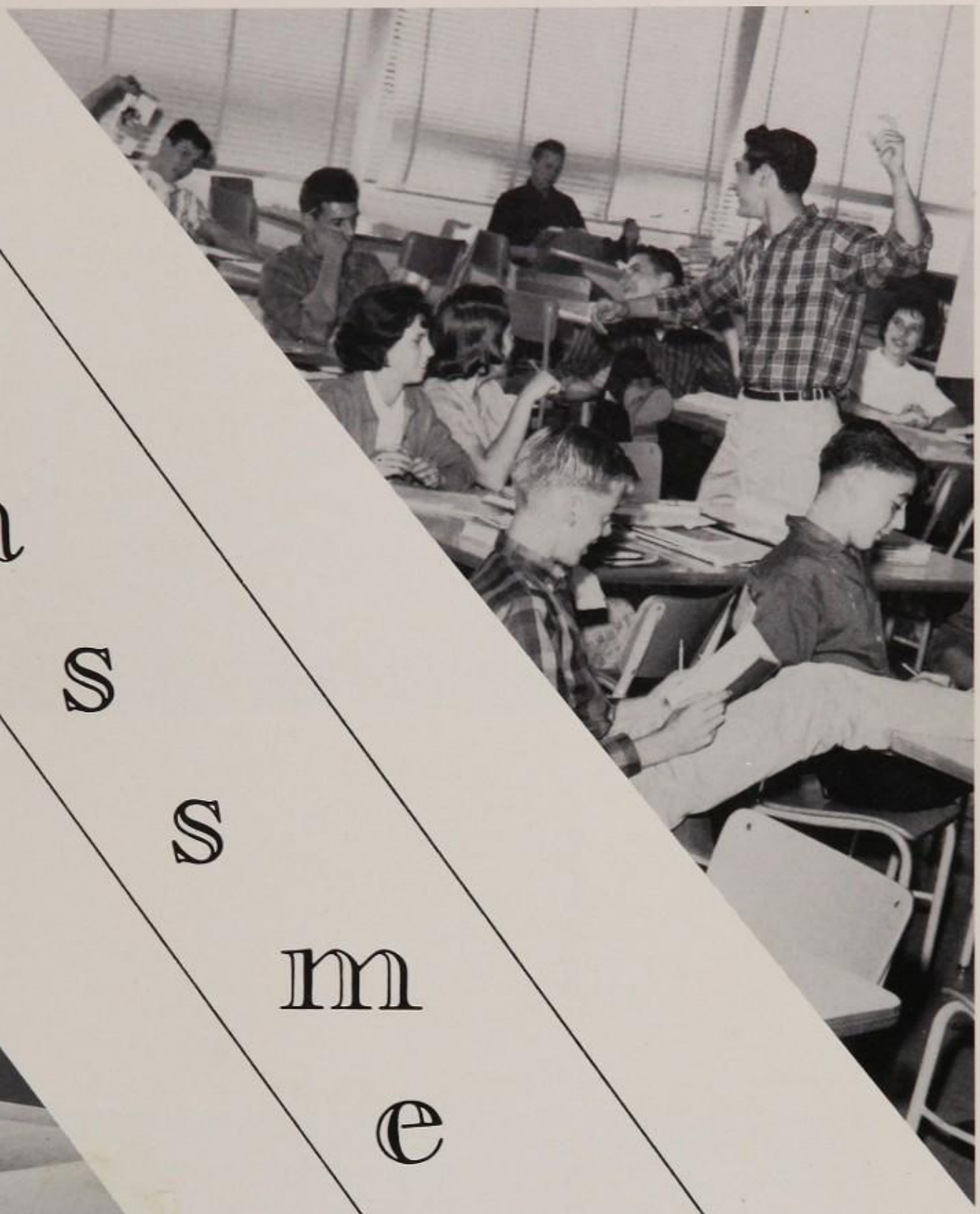

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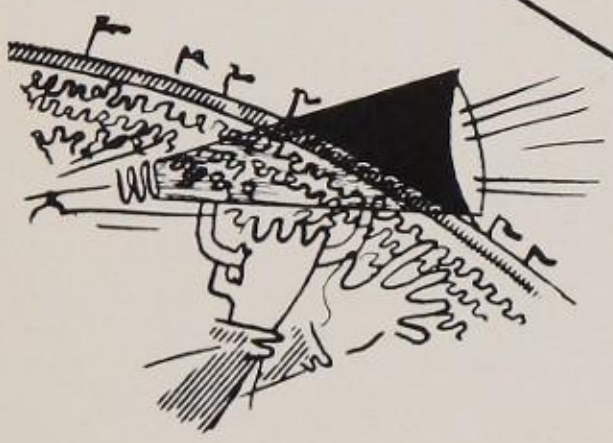

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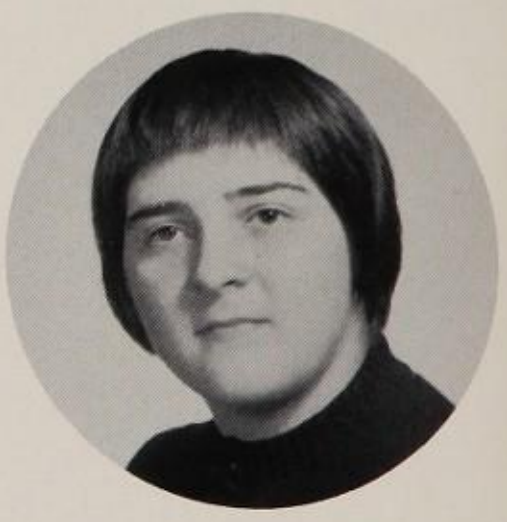

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Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mary Lynn Barrett

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President ..... Coe Manchester
Vice-President ..... Jim Ducharme
Secretary ..... Mike Podhajecki
Corresponding Secretary ..... Alex Rosenberg
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... Sebastian Sorrentino

SECOND SEMESTER OFFICERS

President ..... Mike Podhajecki
Vice-President ..... Charles Ferrante
Secretary ..... Barry Lawrence
Corresponding Secretary ..... Jim Ducharme
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... Coe Manchester

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Douglas Beebe, Bruce MacPherson, Barry Lawrence, Charles Ferrante, Joseph Radocchio. SECOND ROW: Richard Goulet, Fred Nardi, Larry Peterson, Michael Podhajecki. THIRD ROW: Sebastian Sorrentino, Robert Silverio, Jack Doherty, Steve Podhajecki. FOURTH ROW: Thomas Wheeler, Richard Grigos, James Ducharme, Daniel Kulbarsh. STANDING: Richard Swanson, Alex Rosenberg, Thomas Eisenlohr, Gerald Durant, Alen Whiting, Anthony Nero, Fred Roy, "Doc" Flaherty, Coe Manchester, Bob Peterson, Richard Woodworth, Peter Tycienski.

Science Club

The Science Club is an organization of students interested in science. Each member works on experiments related to any field of science. Among the group projects are the manufacture of synthetic diamonds, a Van de Graaff generator, and a study of oxygen consumption. Programs feature demonstrations, films, and explanations of projects. Mr. William Flaherty is the adviser.

Varsity Club

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Jack Hoxie, Secretary; Norman Chamberlin, Vice-President; Jim DiVita, President; Patsy Mori, Treasurer; John Colevecchio. SECOND ROW: Mr. Fortuna, Bobby Cahill, Jack Forchette, Ronnie Izumi, Eddie Marolda, Dominic Mori. THIRD ROW: Bob Clark, George Simons, Richard Andrighetti, Pete Moraski, John DeLutri, Harold Stannard.

The Varsity Club's main purpose is to support the Athletic Association and promote good sportsmanship. They perform one civic duty each year and have recently purchased a moving picture camera for the school. The members also control the lunch lines at noon hour.

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Alice Locascio, Charlene Falzone, Susan Roberts, Lynn Beach, Sandra Cappellina, Cherit Green, Aldana Stickels, Sharon Dunn, Theresa Goulet, Judith Wald, Karen Nichols, Donald Truax, Jeanne Davis, Ceil D'Amore, Sheila Dings. SECOND ROW: Kathy Dunn, Virginia Bazzano, Frances Hrobak, Barbara Nero, Gary Dayton, Laura Kelly, William Graves, Diane Wald, Thomas Mudano, Mary Lynn Barrett, Richard McKie, Janice Weber, Mary Frances Barrett, Natalie Kauppi, Jessica Martin, Frank Rockefeller. THIRD ROW: Joyce Barnum, Mary Jo Athorn, Linda Cole, David D'Amore, Joseph Reinhardt, Serena Sorrentino, James Walsh, Wayne Ellsworth, Wesley Davis, Toni McDonough, Jean Roberts, Jody Dockham.

This Club is open to anyone who has an interest in any phase of dramatics. For the first year, the student is a probationer and

President ..... Judi VanAlstyne
Vice-President ..... Ellen Barrett
Treasurer ..... Kathy Alexander
Secretary ..... Katie Barrett
Adviser ..... Miss Gallo

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Mary Jo Sterpka, Ann Thomas, Mary Ann Alexas, Theresa Johnson, Maureen Shay, Margaret Tarascio, Sharon Berre, Brenda Van Seters, Marie Bazzano, Carrie Williams, Cheryl Pattrell, Mary Colevecchio, Maria Antonellis, Terry Stanizzi. SECOND ROW: Suzanne Shoppe, Linda Shanes, Sandra Sherman, Barbara Hayes, Paul Horn, Linda Sedlack, Bill Brunelle, Denise Neilson, Jean Hoxie, Margaret MacPhail, Helene Simmons, Loreen DiGiavanni.

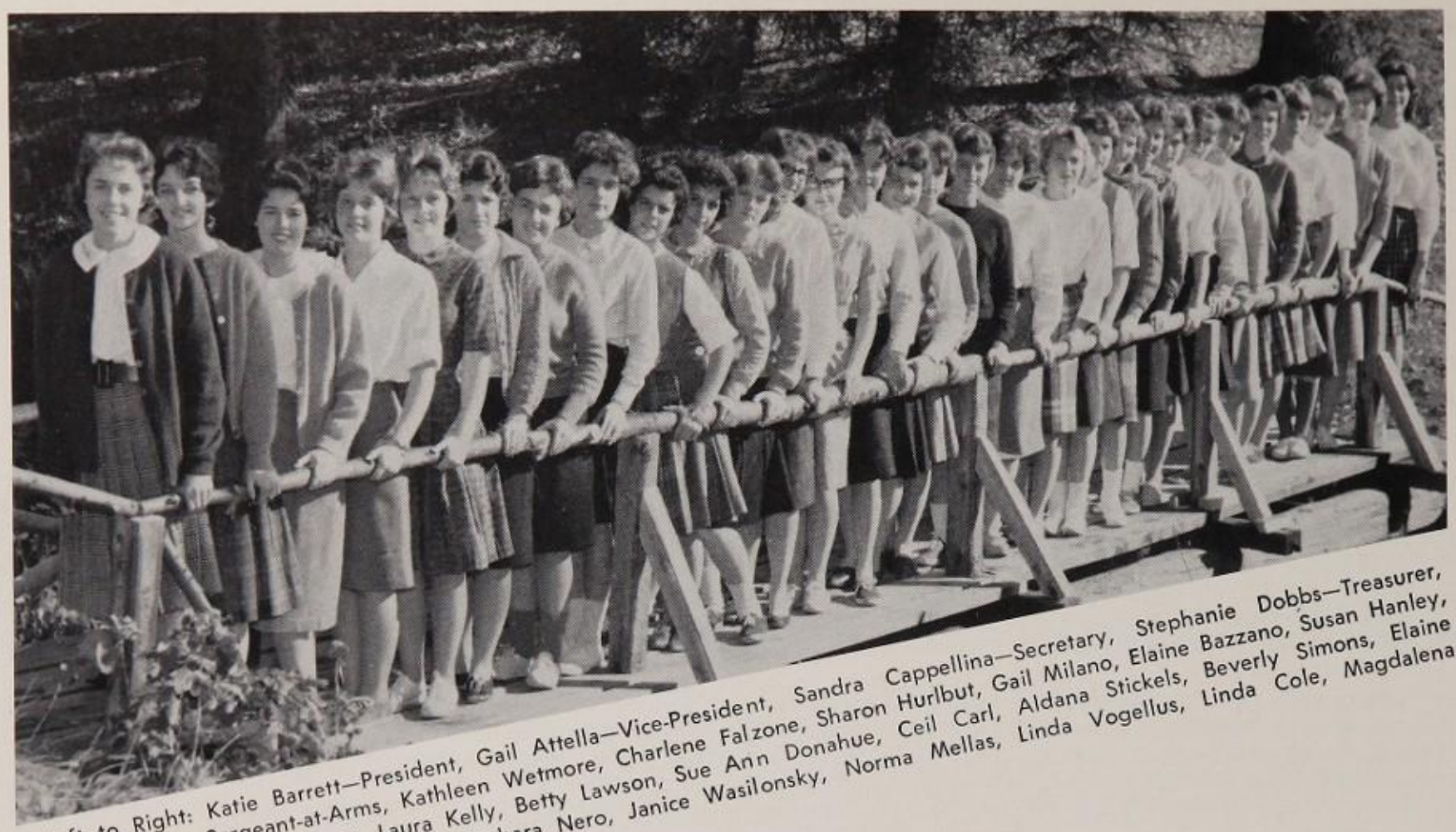
The Last Leaf

by Ross Clairborne, Frances Banks

is given a chance to show his talent. The club sponsors various plays and visits theaters to view plays of interest.

CAST

Lavinia Breckinridge	Judi Van Alstyne
Clara Breckinridge	Sheila Dings
Erskine Breckinridge	Robert McKie
Lilla Breckinridge	Barbara English
Wade Stoddard	John Colevecchio
James Pierson	William Brunell
Willie Bea Sykes	Katie Barrett
Senella	Karen Nichols
Doctor Little	Joseph Rienhardt



Left to Right: Katie Barrett—President, Gail Attella—Vice-President, Sandra Cappellina—Secretary, Stephanie Dobbs—Treasurer, Susan Dobbs—Sergeant-at-Arms, Kathleen Wetmore, Charlene Falzone, Sharon Hurlbut, Gail Milano, Elaine Bazzano, Susan Hanley, Leila Sturm, Claire Jamieson, Laura Kelly, Betty Lawson, Sue Ann Donahue, Ceil Carl, Aldana Stickels, Beverly Simons, Elaine Woodworth, Lois Basso, Gail Hoxie, Barbara Nero, Janice Wasilonsky, Norma Mellas, Linda Vogellus, Linda Cole, Magdalena Dezamits, Toni McDonough, Denise Nelson.

Agma Dhi Tri-Y

Under the advisership of Mrs. Pratt, Tri-Y, a national organization, is designed for girls who enjoy taking an active part in civic life. Tri-Y sponsors many activities.

Scholarship "G"

To attain a scholarship "G" a student must have an average of 85 or better.

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Judy O'Brien, Victoria Thiery, Marie DePaoli, Phyllis Shaefer, Jim DiMartino, Claire Jamieson, Sharon Dunn, Kathee Dunn, Sharon Beare, Karen McCornick, Susan Roberts, Carolyn Reese, Charlene Falzone, Betty Garafalo. SECOND ROW: Leila Sturm, Barbara English, Joyce Barnum, Regina Lovetere, Judy Church, Ron Izumi, Jack Grazia, Barry Emerick, David Goddard, Charles Ferrante, Gene Grazia, Esther Zeechin, Janice Weber, Margaret Beebe. THIRD ROW: Mary DiVita, Joseph Reinhart, James Ducharme, Kim Burke, Clifford Williams, Wayne Ellsworth, Robert Pederson, Robert Silverio, Janis Ells, Janice Gabelmann, Priscilla Cooney, Pat Whyte.

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Karen Nichols, Stephanie Dobbs, Mary Murray. SECOND ROW: Susan Dobbs, Barbara Sesko, Kathryn Alexander, Barbara English, Ellen Barrett, Marilyn Fracasso.

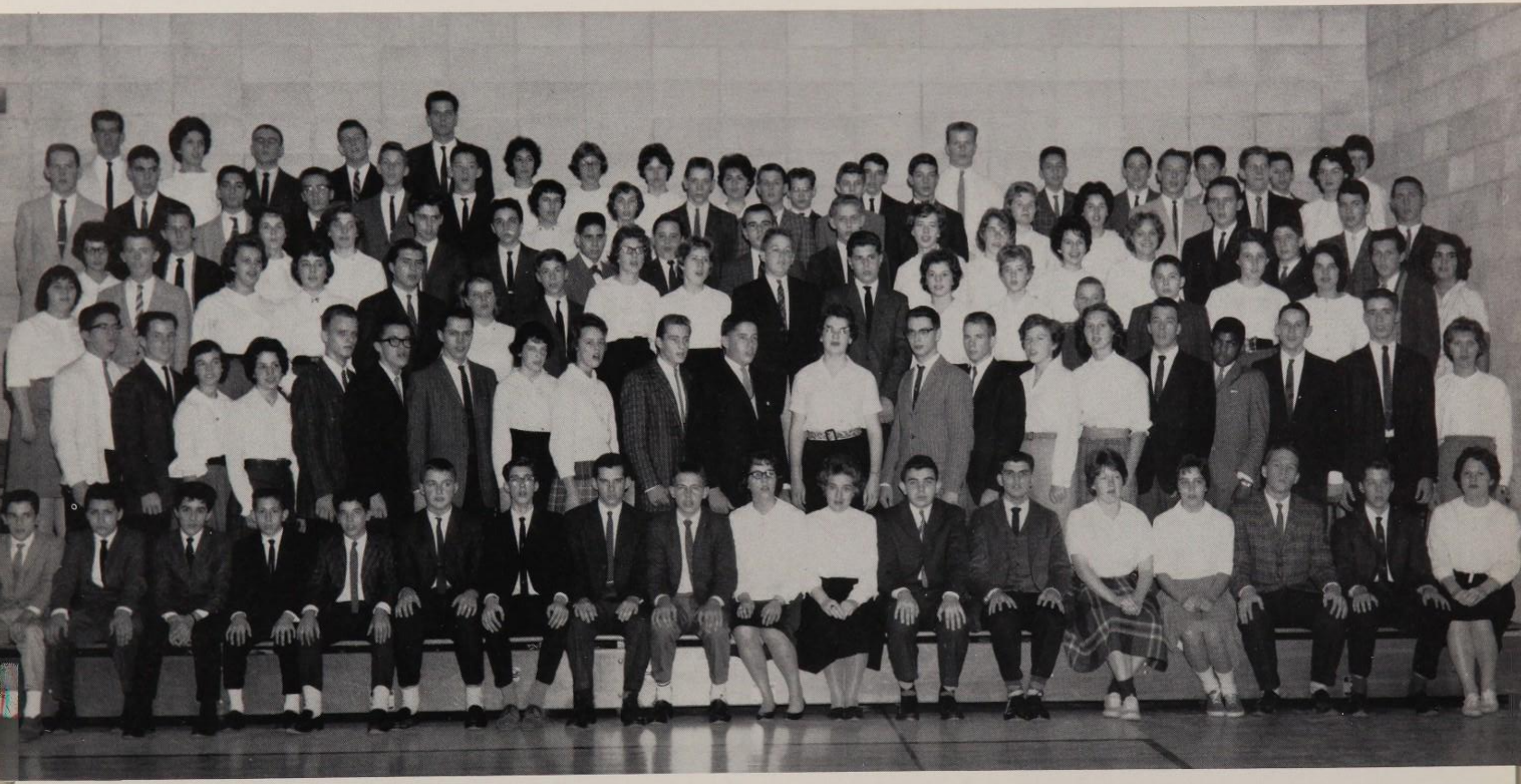
Senior Leaders Club
Future Nurses Club

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Alice Dautrich, Susan Ayotte, Edith Salling, Florence Roberts, Teresa Gangi, Evelyn Bishop, Pat Olson, Noreen Drenzyk, Diana Franklin, Lorraine Horton, Kathy Humpage, Nancy Ahlman, Mary Murray, JoAnn Showl, Cecilia Stannard. SECOND ROW: Mrs. N. W. Humpage—Adviser, Judy O'Brien, Joy Navin, Karin Liskin, Donna Serluco, Betty Wells, Carmey Mazzarella, Ruth Ann Youmatz, Maureen Humpage, Ruth Flotat, Gail Roberts, Sherrill Horn, Roberta Honaker, Marie Corso, Kathy Wetmore, Judy Goodenough, Nancy Hewitt, Mrs. J. Edward O'Connor—R. N. Adviser. THIRD ROW: Phyllis Hawley, Karren Truax, Karon Smith, Donna Ingersoll, Betty Maloney, Cecile Carl, Leila Sturm, Paula Ryan, Sheila Hicks, Lorraine Spear, Sue Ann Donohue, Shirley Samuelsen, Sylvia Stewart, Eileen Wheeler, Gayle English, Leslie Morganson. FOURTH ROW: Linda Negri, Sue Hanley, Cathy Cadrain, Sandra Peters, Karen Nordgren, Sharon Hurlbut, Diane Picard, Pamela Alexander, Jeanne Bjorbekk, Laura Passini, Karen Goodenough, Judy Lyons, Doreen Bruno, Carol Simons, Pat D'Arcy, Mary Roy.

The Future Nurses Club is open to any girl who has a keen interest in nursing. Under the direction of Mrs. O'Connor and Mrs. Humpage, the girls have planned a trip to New York to climax the year.

Under the direction of Miss Fromer, the Girls Leaders Club is designed to assist in teaching physical education classes. In order to be a member, a girl must be at least a sophomore, passing all her subjects, have an 80 or better in gym, and take a test on physical education.

The Glee Club



Left to Right, FIRST ROW: Jeffrey Barber, Salvatore Correnti, George Attella, Salvatore Marzullo, David LeShay, Lyon Franklin, William Graves, Cliff Mellen, Donald Bunel, Leila Sturm, Sheila Dings, Chester Rosansky, Thomas Mudano, Pamela Burke, MaryLou Chamberlin, Robert McKie, Richard Jasch, Cheryl Green. SECOND ROW: Ronni Izumi, Eugene Grazia, Amber Curtis, Gail Roberts, Walter Crossley, Wesley Davis, David D'Amore, Isabelle Skilton, Wendy Viall, Richard Sterpka, Victor Burke, Sally Passini, David Fancher, James Sullivan, Jean Roberts, Diana Franklin, Harry Rosansky, William Johnson, Albert Woodworth, Michael Gjede, Barbara Sesko. THIRD ROW: Judi VanAlstyne, Harold MacFarland, Joyce Barnum, Janice Weber, John Iacino, Judy O'Brien, Thomas Graves, Judy Church, MaryJo Dockham, Jack Dogherty, John Beebe, Susan Roberts, Lynn Beach, Jack Dillon, Robert Peetz, Priscilla Cooney, Judy Wald, William Gemetro, Virginia Davis. FOURTH ROW: Linda Rosansky, Frank Marzulla, Katie Barrett, Ellen Barrett, Ronald Dew, Anthony Nero, Frank Rockefeller, Alex Rosenberg, Douglas Beebe, Gary Dayton, MaryLynn Barrett, Mary Barrett, Lucille D'Amore, Frances Hrobak, Fred Nigri, Harold Swanson, Peter Johnstone, George Bronson. FIFTH ROW: Wayne Ellsworth, William Brunelle, Peter Guglielmino, David Goddard, Hamilton Pitt, Andrew Herzing, Kathy Alexander, Carol Hamilton, Robert Marquis, Charles Fritz, Gary Hamilton, Robert Nichols, Karen Nichols, Sandra Cappellina, Steve Jarvis, David Millard, Sherrill Horn. SIXTH ROW: Peter Moraski, Serena Sorrentino, Sammy Francis, John Heil, Walter Britton, Diana Guglielmino, Judy Dudley, MaryJo Athorn, Virginia Bazzano, Bowen Roberts, Thomas Eisenlohr, Robert Clark, Daniel Veneziano, Raymond Green, William Gjede, Dillon Ramsey, Elaine Woodworth.

Girl's Chorus

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Judy O'Brien, Karen Liskin, Terry Stanizzi, Leslie Morganson, Leslie Sullivan, Tita DiMartino, Sue Roberts, Mary Jo Sterpka, Donna Serluco, Judy Goodenough. SECOND ROW: Gayle English, Marie DiCara, Franny Hrobak, Barbara Hawley, Jeanne Bjorbekk, Susan Ayotte, Marilyn Doyan, Nancy Clark, Margaret Tarascio, Mary Ann Alexas, Lucille D'Amore. THIRD ROW: Gail Roberts, Barbara Nero, Grace Fracasso, Mary Francis Barrett, Janice Weber, Shirley Samuelsen, Penny Thomes, Pam Alexander, Judy Wald, Edith Salling. FOURTH ROW: Isabel Skilton, Charlene Van Altena, Mary Jo Athorn, Virginia Davis, Priscilla Cooney, Diana Franklin, Serena Sorrentino, Wendy Viall, Lorraine Horton, Paula Rosansky.

RECORDERS

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Bob Peetz, Miss McGowan, Cliff Mellen, Leslie Sullivan. SECOND ROW: Bill Graves, Ma Sonier. BACK: Jim Sullivan.

ORGANISTS

SEATED, Left to Right: Margaret Tarascio, Gayle English. STANDING, FIRST ROW: Susan Ayotte, Donna Serluco, Karen Liskin, Leslie Morganson. SECOND ROW: Bill Graves, Bill Brunelle, Lorraine Horton.

SONGTWISTERS

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Don Bunel, Leila Sturm, Sheila Dings, Chester Rosansky, Tommy Mudano, Pam Burke, Mary Lou Chamberlin, Robert McKie, Richard Jasch. BACK ROW, Left to Right: Victor Burke, Walter Crossley, David Fancher, Jim Sullivan, Jean Roberts, Diana Franklin, Harry Rosansky, Virginia Davis, Cliff Mellen.

ORIGINAL TEENS

FIRST ROW: Donna Serluco. SECOND ROW: Leslie Morgansen, Leslie Sullivan. THIRD ROW: Karin Liskin, Paula Rosansky. FOURTH ROW: Nancy Clark, Lorraine Horton.

SINGERLETTES

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Sheila Dings, Lynn Beach, Judy Church, Jody Dockham. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Mary Lou Chamberlin, Leila Sturm, Pam Burke, Joyce Barnum.

HARMONETTES

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Susan Roberts, Gail Roberts, Judy Wald, Barbara Nero, Isabelle Skilton. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Janice Weber, Wendy Viall, Virginia Davis, Diana Franklin, Priscilla Cooney.

Left to Right, FIRST ROW: Mrs. Helen Sahaffer, Cynthia Johnson, MaryJane Pasko, Elaine Woodworth, Norma Mellas, Gail Attella, Regina Lovetere, Paula Barber, MaryLynn Barrett. SECOND ROW: Sally Alliano, Gail Milano, Elaine Bazzano, Susan Jones, Jean Ryan, Sandy Stannard, Virginia Davis, Pat Collins, Jean Carrozza, Nancy Clark, Kathie Dunn. THIRD ROW: Laura Kelly, Janice Wasilonsky, Paula Ryan, Sue Hanley, Judy Lyons, Jean Hoxie, Helene Simmons, Beverly Simons, Lois Basso, Jeninne Miner, Joyce Barnum. FOURTH ROW: Kitty Pettit, Loren DiGiovanni, Marie DiCara, Cookie Fracasso, Inez McGinn, Kathleen Royer, Amber Curtis, Margaret Beebe, Sue Ryan, Sharon Glassletter. FIFTH ROW: Barbara Strano, Jean Taty, Doreen Simons, Diane Bardino, Carole Dicky, Diane Miseraka, Janet Lefebvre.

Pep Club

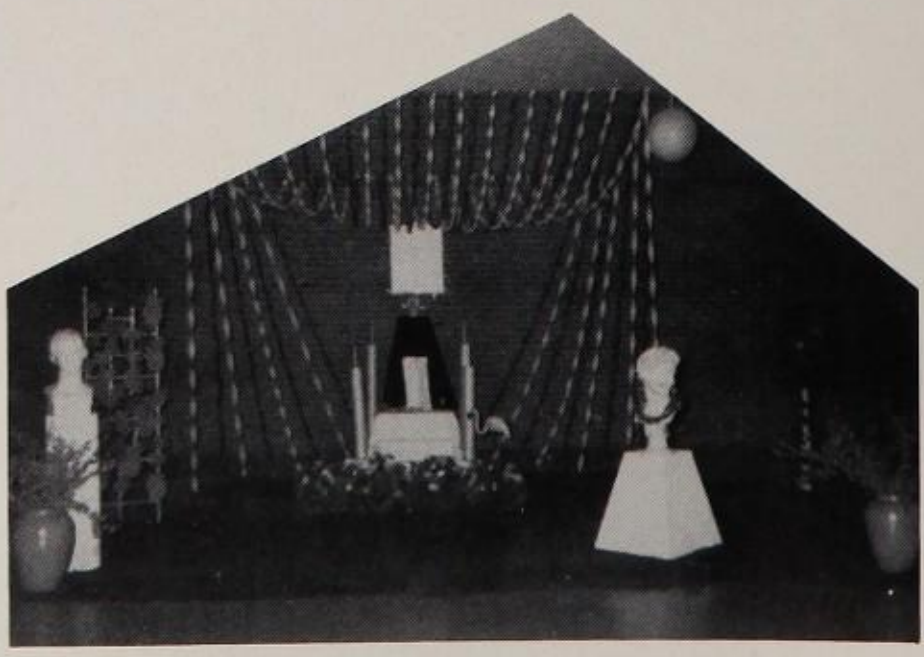
Pep Club is designed to promote school spirit. It sponsors dances held after the basketball games and in the past years the members have sold pom pons. Meetings are held, during club period in the Gym. Mrs. Helen Schaffer is the adviser.

Ski Club

Whenever the ground is glistening with snow and its a weekend or vacation, these sportsmen and sportswomen get their skis and poles and head for the New England slopes. This club's adviser is Mr. Tirrell.

Left to Right, FIRST ROW: Raymond Greene, David Leshay, Pamala Burke, Jim DiMartino, Janice Ells, Janice Weber, Gwen Morton, Natalie Kauppi, Albert Woodworth, Miss Ellen Littlefield. SECOND ROW: Walter Britton, Mike Riiska, Fred Nardi, Jack Doherty, Dick McKie, Tom Graves.

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Mrs. Thompson, Madame le Professeur; Gene Grazia, Victor Omnium; Joann Lazzaro, Maxine Vexata; James DiMartino, Jacobes Demo; Thomas Graves, Fabulus Gravissimus; Miss McGowan, Magister. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Kim Burke, Magnus Simulator; Marie DiCarla, Maria Carissima; Grace Fracasso, Gratia Gymnica; Angelena DiMartino, Dulcissimus; James Poole, Jacobus Diomedes e Amator; Leslie Ann Sullivan, Puella Amica; Robert Bensle, Lucius Benlis. THIRD ROW, Left to Right: Peter Johnstone, Amator Puellarum; Charles Fritz, Carolus Invincibiles; Kenneth Frazee, Venator Potentiasimus; Michael Kauppi, Michel. FOURTH ROW, Left to Right: Sheryl Lovine; Bernard Fancher, Audax ursus; Hamilton Pitt, Invincibilis Amator Pecuniae; Anthony Fragale, Antonius Primus. FIFTH ROW, Left to Right: Linda Groppo, Amazon; Barbara Hawley, Pernix Feles; Priscilla Cooney, Feles Murmurans; Isabelle Skilton, Lentiginosa; Steven Taty, Potentissimus.



FIRST ROW, Officers: Kim Burke—Aedilis, James DiMartino—Quaestor, Gene Grazia—Victor Amnium Praetor, Joann Lazzaro—Maxime Vexata Consul, Thomas Graves—Scriba. SECOND ROW: Miss McGowan—Magister, Sheryl Levine, Grace Fracasso, Leslie Ann Sullivan, Sally Geer, Barbara Hawley, Priscilla Cooney, Angelina Di Martino, Linda Groppo, James Poole, Isabel Skilton, Stephen Taty. THIRD ROW: Robert Bensle, Bernard Fancher, Michael Kauppi, Anthony Fragale, John Hicks, Hamilton Pitt, Peter Johnstone, Kenneth Frazee, Charles Fritz.

The Latin Club, formed three years ago, is now under the guidance of Miss Joan McGowan and Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson. The French Club has joined ranks with its Roman allies. This club attempts to reveal to its members life in ancient Rome. Membership is open to any student taking second, third, or fourth year Latin, and to a limited number of first year students.

Latin Club

Spanish Club

The Spanish Club was reorganized this year to improve the members' knowledge of Latin American countries. First, second, and third year Spanish students study Spanish-speaking countries. Programs include reports on various countries, panels, and skits. Miss Elizabeth L. Mutch is the club's adviser.

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Miss Mutch, Cliff Mellen—vice-president, Dan Kellogg—president, Mary Lou Chamberlin—secretary, Frank Della Valle. SECOND ROW: Cindy Sherwood, Pam Burke, Janice Nielson, Judy Church—program chairman, Magdelena Dezamits, Wendy Viall, Kathleen Boothe. THIRD ROW: Bill Doubleday, Dave Millard, Raymond Flotat, Douglas Fletcher, Richard Horton, John Genziano, Jeff Marshall.

Devotional Committee

Left to Right: Robert McKie, Walter Crosley, Jessica Martin, Chester Rosansky, Leila Sturm.

Library Aides

Left to Right: Susan Ayotte, Jeanne Bjorbekk, Shirley Samuelsen.

Ping Pong Club

Under the advisership of Mr. Walker, this group of students holds various ping pong games and tournaments.

Double's Tournament was won by Vickie Theiry and Don Bunel. At this time, the double elimination singles' tournament is being led by Bret Van Seters, Al Fradette, Orlene Spinney, and Richard Gregoire.

Future Teachers Club

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Phyllis Shaffer, Mr. Nelligan; Adviser, Judy Wright. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: George Shea, Lyon Franklin.

This club is open to anyone who has any plans of becoming a teacher. Mr. Nelligan is the club's adviser.

Business Machines Room

Left to Right: Barbara English, Mary Olzanski, Gail Hoxie, Sandy Cappellina, Marilyn Fracasso, Gail Roarke, Diane LeGeyt, Betty Garafalo, Peggy Locascio, Pat Whyte, Jean Roberts.

Each year some of the girls in the business course are selected to aid the administration. While helping the faculty, the girls also gain practical office experience; such jobs as typing and mimeographing are speedily taken care of on a teacher's request.

Office Staff

Left to Right: Regina Lovetere, Janice Gabelmann, Marilyn Fracasso, Gwen Morton, Gail Attella, Cecile Carl, Kathryn Alexander.

Each year several outstanding upperclass girls are chosen to work in the office. While lightening the load of the administration, each girl has the opportunity to answer the telephone, deliver messages, operate the public address system, and receive guests or visitors to the school.

Membership in The Chess Club, advised by Mr. Paul Hull, is open to all students interested in playing chess. Weekly matches and periodical tournaments are the features of the club.

Chess Club

Miracle Homeroom Collectors

This group of diligent working girls collect payments from the students and keep an accurate record which helps the business department of the Miracle.

The 1962 Miracle Staff

STANDING, Left to Right: Karen Nichols, Sharon Dunn, Marilyn Fracasso, Pat Whyte, John Genziano, Sandy Cappellina, Peggy Jackman, Jeanne Davis, Betty Garafalo. SEATED: Janice Gabelmann.

SEATED: Joyce Barnum, Regina Lovetere, Charlene Falzone. STANDING, Left to Right: Sheila Hicks, Sally Passini, Gail Attella, Laura Kelly, Theresa Goulet, Cherie Green, Marie DePaoli.

The 1962 Miracle Underclass Staff

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

Left to Right: Patricia Whyte, Marilyn Fracasso, Betty Garafalo, Sandy Cappellina

EDITORS

Editor-in-Chief ..... Janice Gablemann
Business Manager ..... Marilyn Fracasso
Assistant Editor ..... Betty Garafalo
Literary Editor ..... Sharon Dunn
Sports Editor ..... Serena Casey
Layout Editor ..... Karen Nichols
Typing Co-Editors ..... Pat Whyte and Sandy Cappellina

The Miracle staff, advised by Mr. Richard Healy, lays out pages, types write-ups, collects pictures, and sells advertisements in an effort to produce a yearbook enjoyable and memorable for everyone.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Left to Right: Barbara Sesko, Joann Lazzaro, Karen Nichols, Virginia Bazzano, Barbara English, Stephanie Dobbs.

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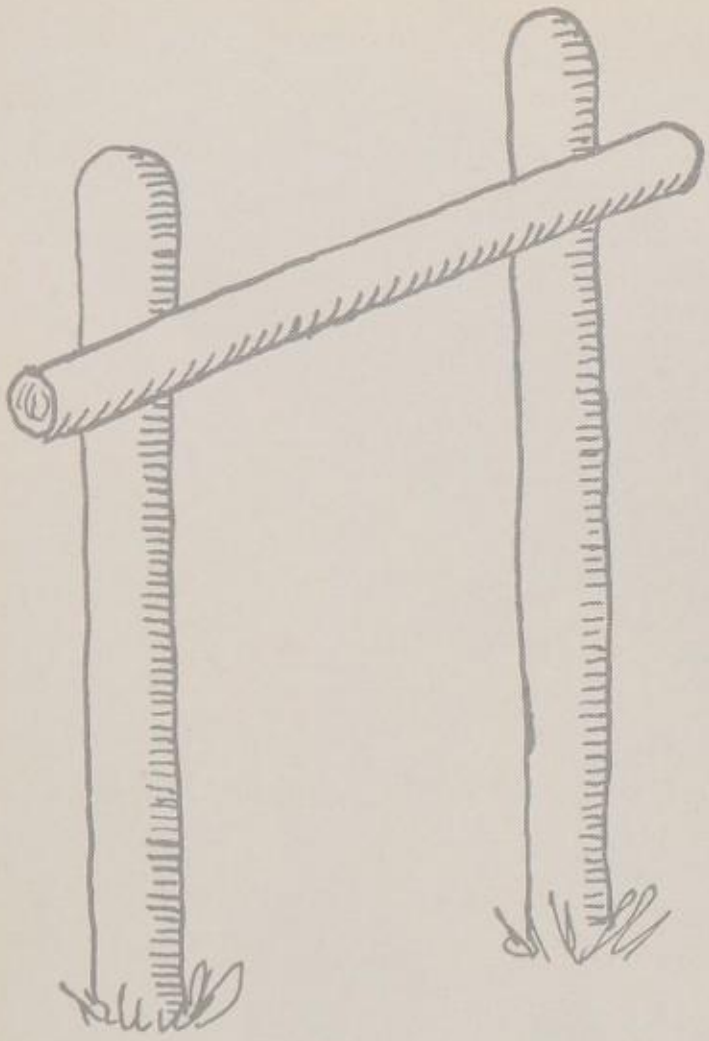
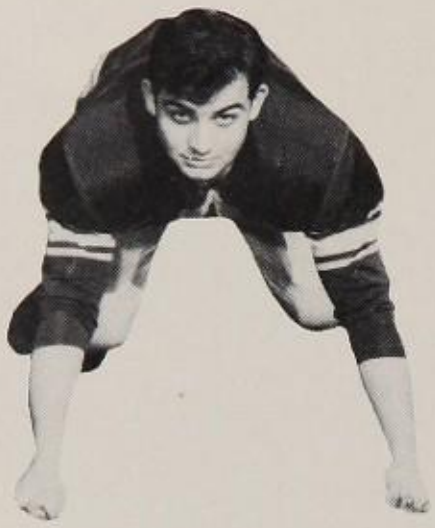
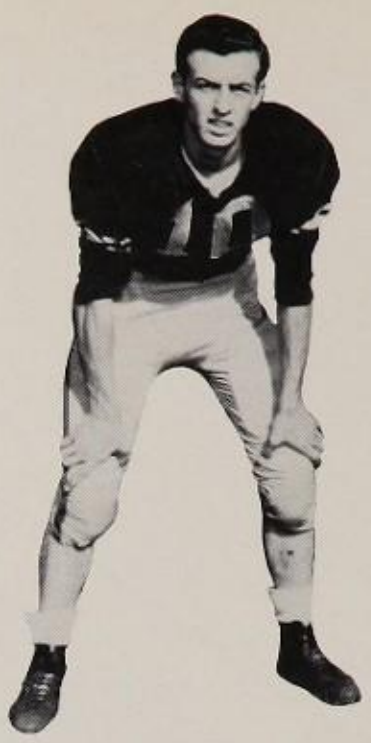




PATSY MORI



DENNIS CAPPABIANCA

JOHN COLAVECCHIO
All-Conference
Quarterback

GILBERT

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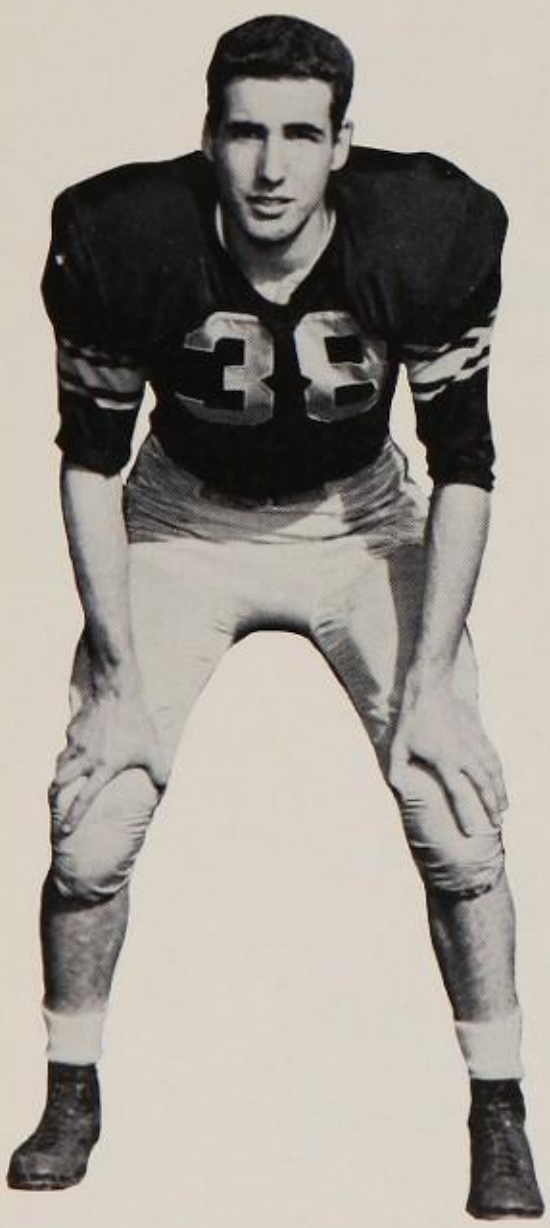


JAMES DiVITA
Co-Capt.
All-Conference End

The senior members of the Yellow Jacket football team led the '61 Varsity to its most successful season in recent years. After a hard fought but losing battle at Simsbury, in exceptionally warm weather, the team came on to clinch four wins and one tie, with a 2-1-1 league record.

The Yellow Jackets' placed four of its members on the Northwestern Conference Team in the persons of Jack Hoxie, guard; John Colavecchio, quarterback; James DiVita, end; and Norman Chamberlin, tackle. The other veterans, Peter Moraski, Patsy Mori, and Dennis Cappabiancia also made themselves known by their stamina.

PETER MORASKI

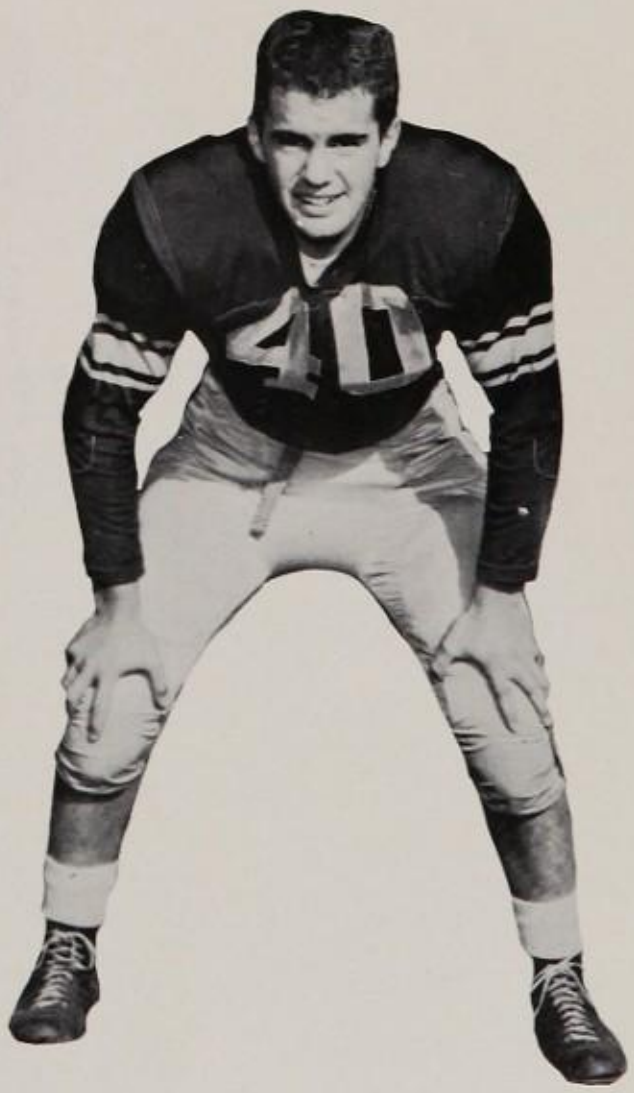
JACK HOXIE
All-Conference
Guard

COACHES VOLOVSKI, DANIELS, AND McLELLAN

FOOTBALL RECORD

Gilbert's biggest victory was against Berlin on homecoming day, and what a day of celebration it was. The Yellow Jackets trounced the opponents by the score of 40-14. The Blue and Gold raced to the first score on a quarterback sneak from the one foot line. Francis charged over for the extra points. Again Gilbert scored on a fumble recovery by Francis and a pass from Colavecchio to Moraski. The Yellow Jackets kept putting on the pressure as Bob Clark intercepted and Francis ran over for the six pointer. Francis, after a fumble recovery, passed to Jim DiVita for a 60 yard pass play. Clark made a 26 yard run to another score in the third quarter.

Good luck to the team of '62.



NORMAN CHAMBERLIN
Co-Capt.
All-Conference Tackle

Football Team

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: John DeLutrie, Gaeton Gangi, Jack Hoxie, Patsy Mori, Norman Chamberlin, Jimmy DiVita, Pete Moraski, Sammy Francis, John Colevecchio, Bobby Clark. SECOND ROW: Coach McLellan, Jimmy Walsh, Freddy Roy, Joe Marshell, Denny Cappibianca, Paul Mooney, Eddie Marolda, Mat Connole, Ronny Izumi, Coach Daniels. THIRD ROW: Jonathan Stevens, Jack Doherty, Marc Chamberlin, Andy Herzing, Jimmy Robertson, Doug Beebe, Danny Mahoney, Jerry Morton, J.V. Coach Volovski. FOURTH ROW: Bowen Roberts, David Leshay, Joseph Resha, Donald Truax, Jim DiMartino, Harold MacFarland, George Nash, Victor Burke. FIFTH ROW: Chris Thrall, Tony Fragale, George Bronson, Leo Oullette.

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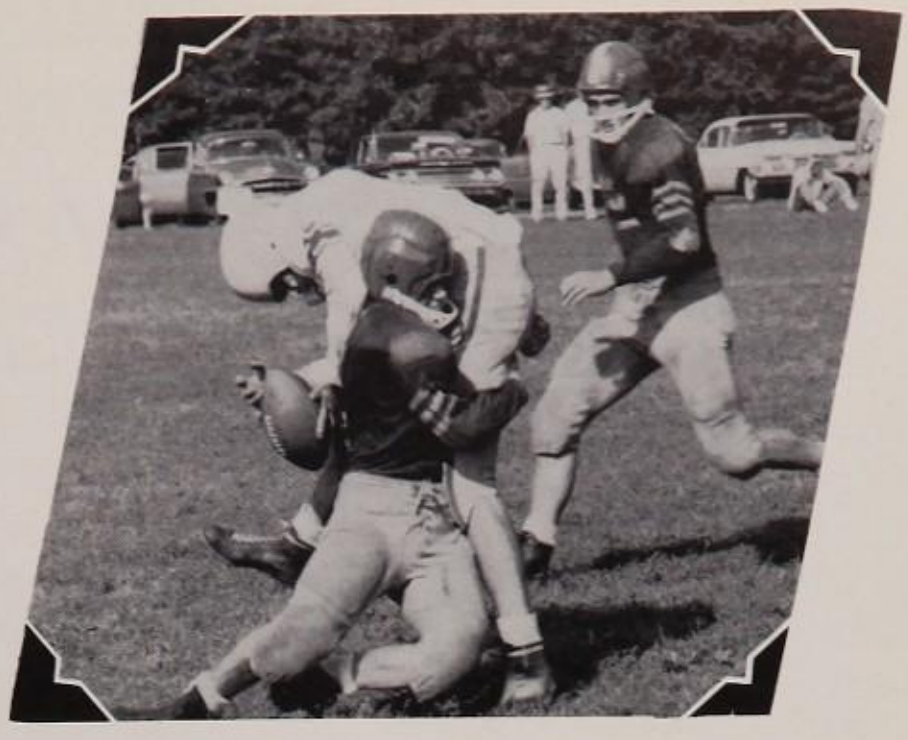
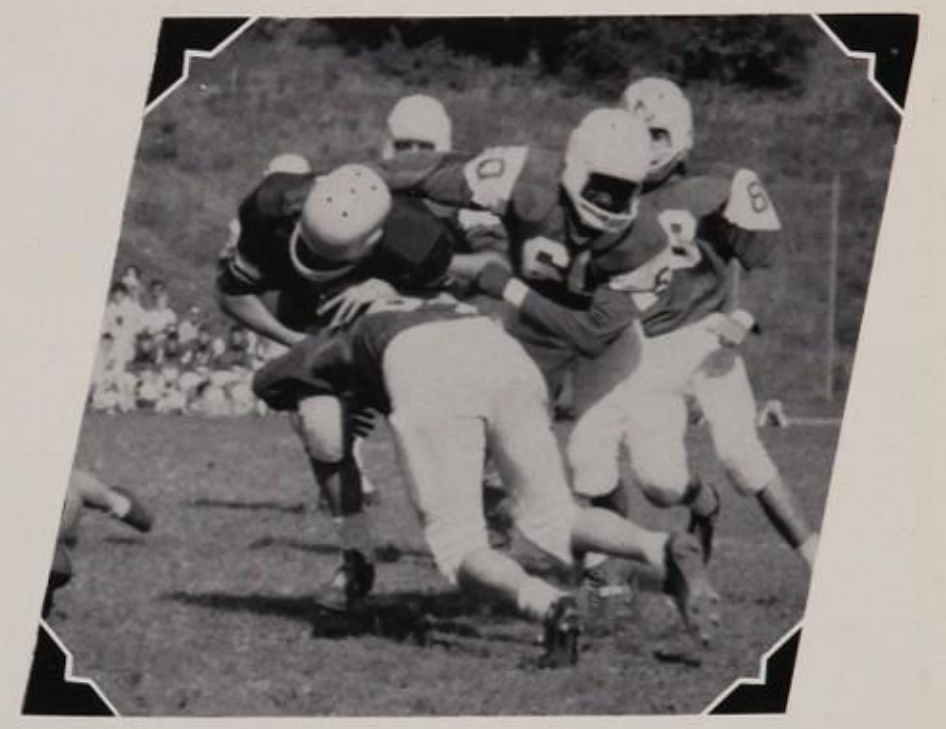


Hang on

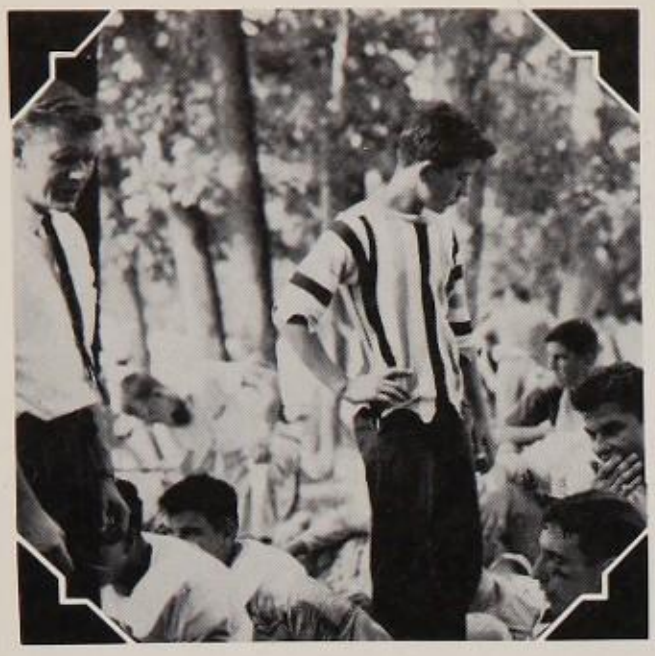
Time to get up



Let's go, blockers

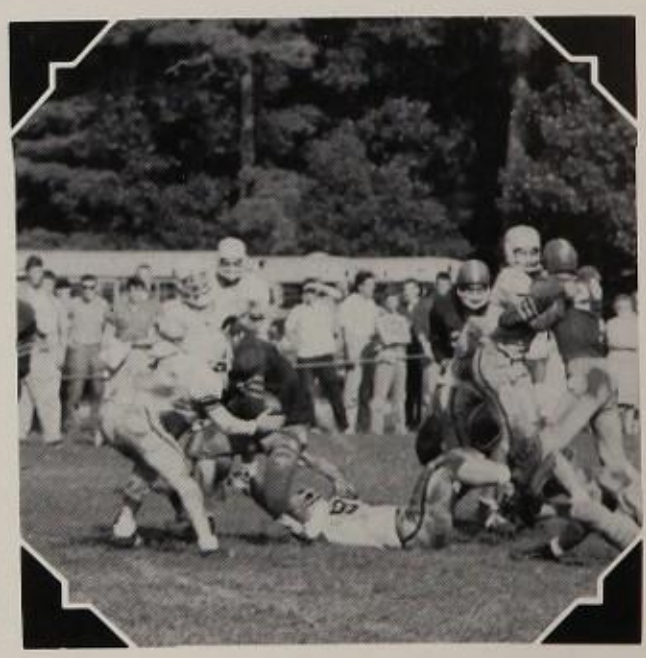
Pull him down

Take the ball



South Simsbury

Maybe enough for a first down



Steal the ball

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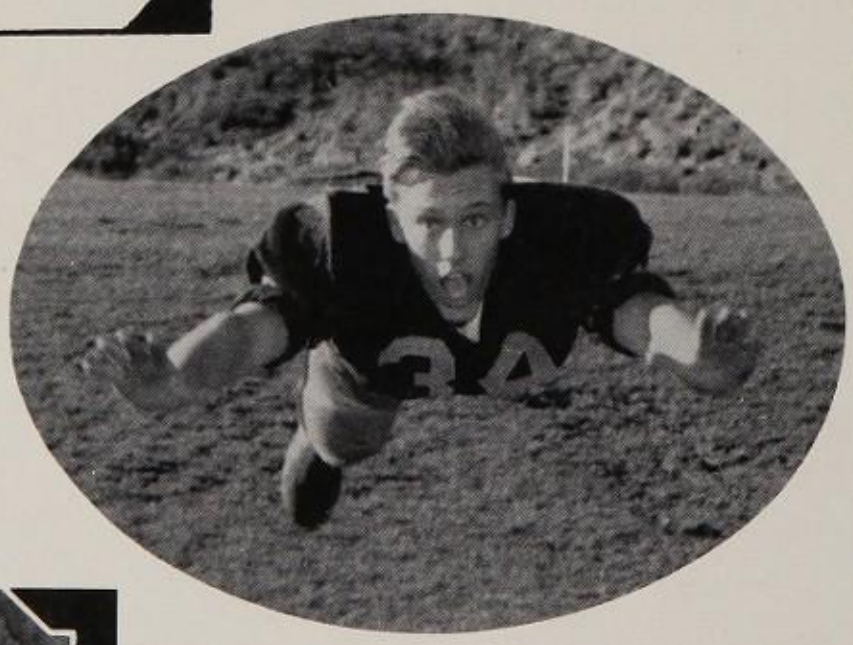
SEASON FOOTBALL TICKET
1961

Name .....

Price $2.00



Flying Tackle

There goes Bobby

GILBERT SCORES THIRD STRAIGHT GRID VICTORY

Turns Back Regional of Falls Village — Plan Homecoming Here Saturday Against Berlin

The dual threat of Gilbert's Bob Clark and Jack Colevecchio teamed Saturday to defeat Housatonic Regional by a score of 26-8 at Falls Village.

the second quarter, Clark around right end for touchdowns of rd run by and

GILBERT RACES TO 33-0 VICTORY OVER WILBY

Bob Clark Scores Four Touchdowns in Rout Of Waterbury Club— 27-0 at Halftime

Led by junior halfback Bobby Clark the Gilbert Yellowjackets football team defeated Wilby 33-0 Saturday.

Before 200 fans and in beautiful fall weather, Clark scored four touchdowns and one extra point for a total of 26 points.

The first half was dominated the Blue and Gold eleven, and ded in a 27-0 score. On the th play of the game Clark exted a 32-yard run to set up touchdown play. The pass to DiVita for the extra point incomplete. Late in the first rter Clark swept around left for a 33-yard TD jaunt. of Co-Capt. DiVita. again the pass for the expoint attempt failed.

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GILBERT BATTLES FARMINGTON HIGH TO 14-14 TIE

ourth Quarter Run By Ron Izumi Enables Yellowjackets to Tie isitors

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GILBERT SCORES 12-6 VICTORY IN DRIVING RAIN

Yellowjackets Produc Second Victory o Year Over Avon i Wet and Cold

Despite driving rain and col the Gilbert school football tea churned out its second victo of the year here Saturday whe it scored two late touchdown to turn back Avon by a 12-6 gin.

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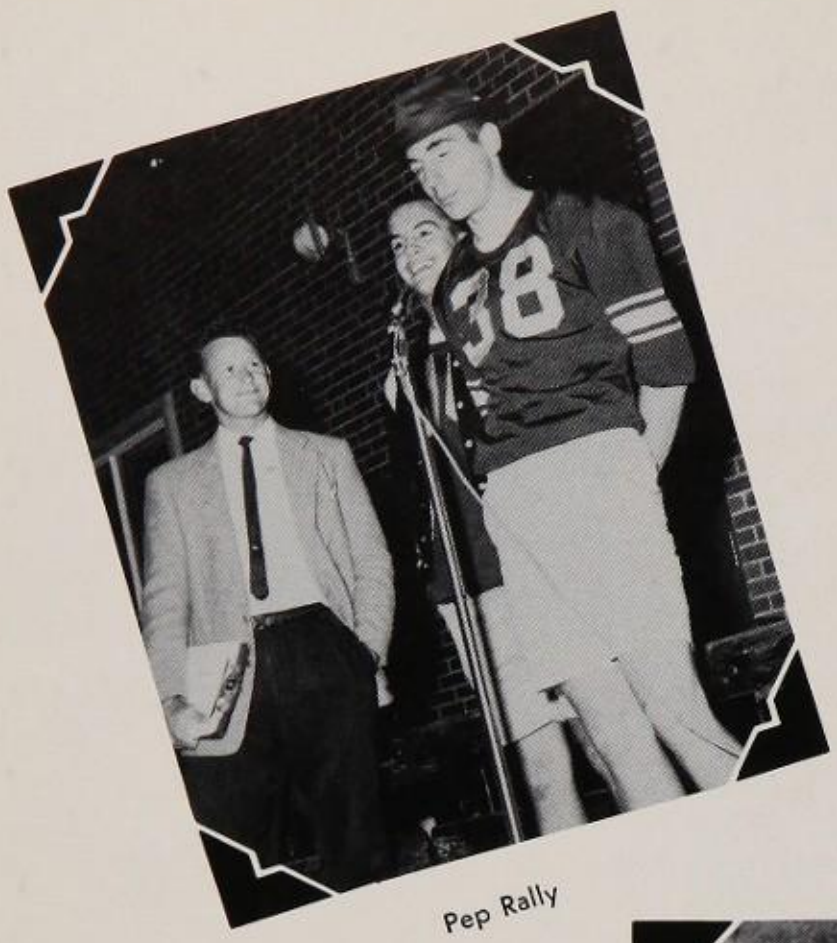

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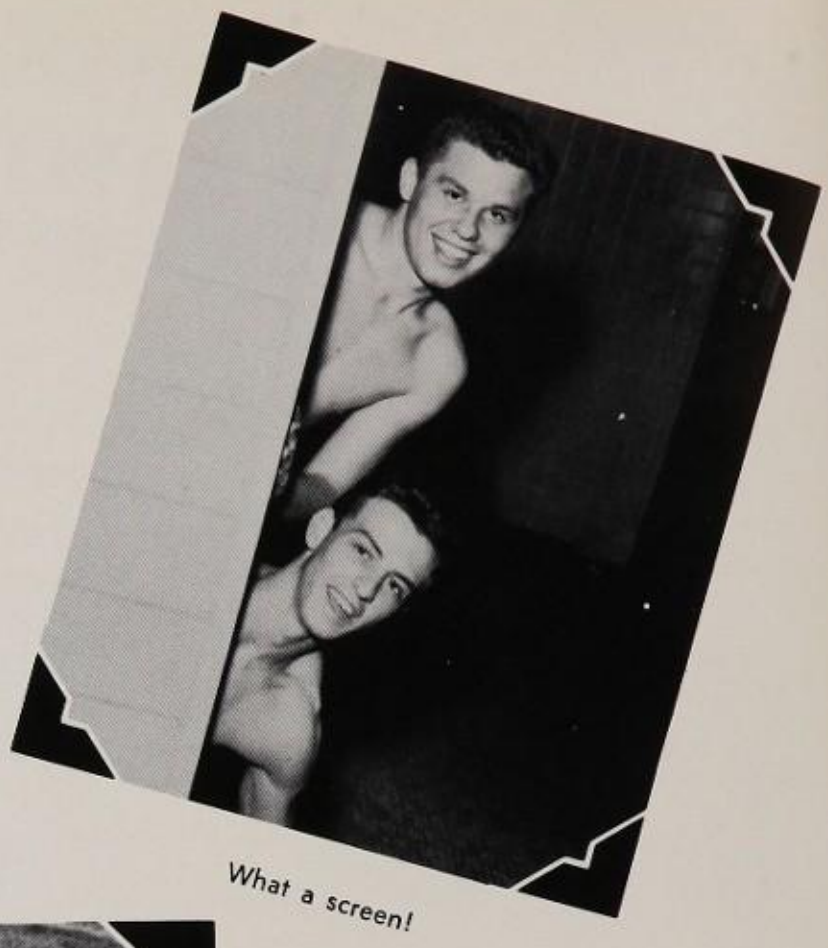

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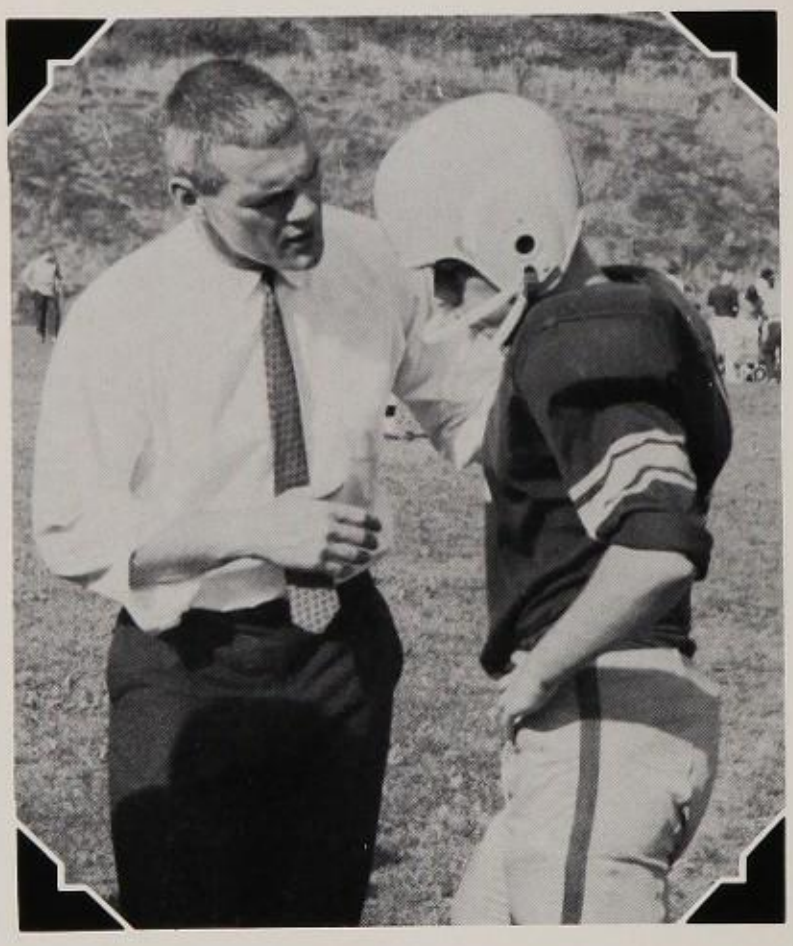

A little encouragement

Another long gainer

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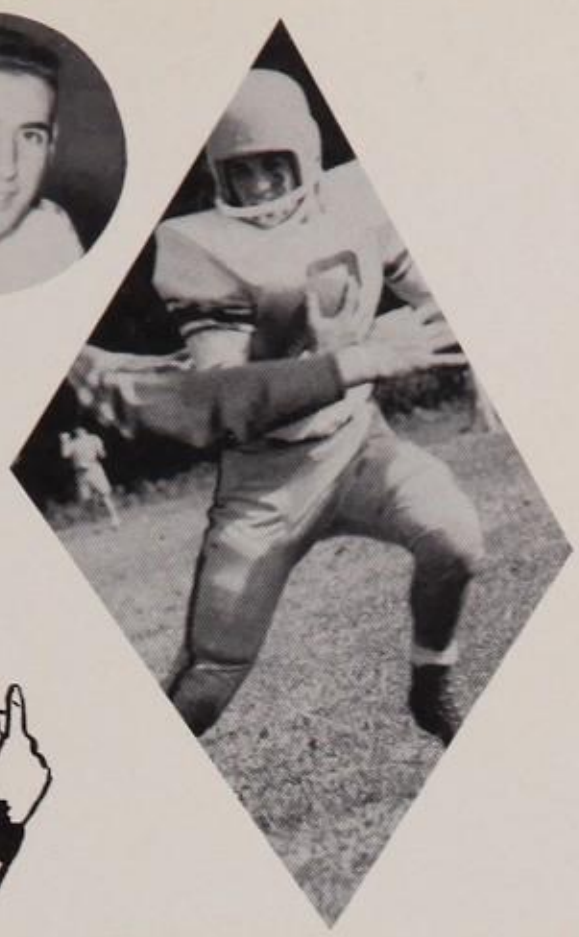

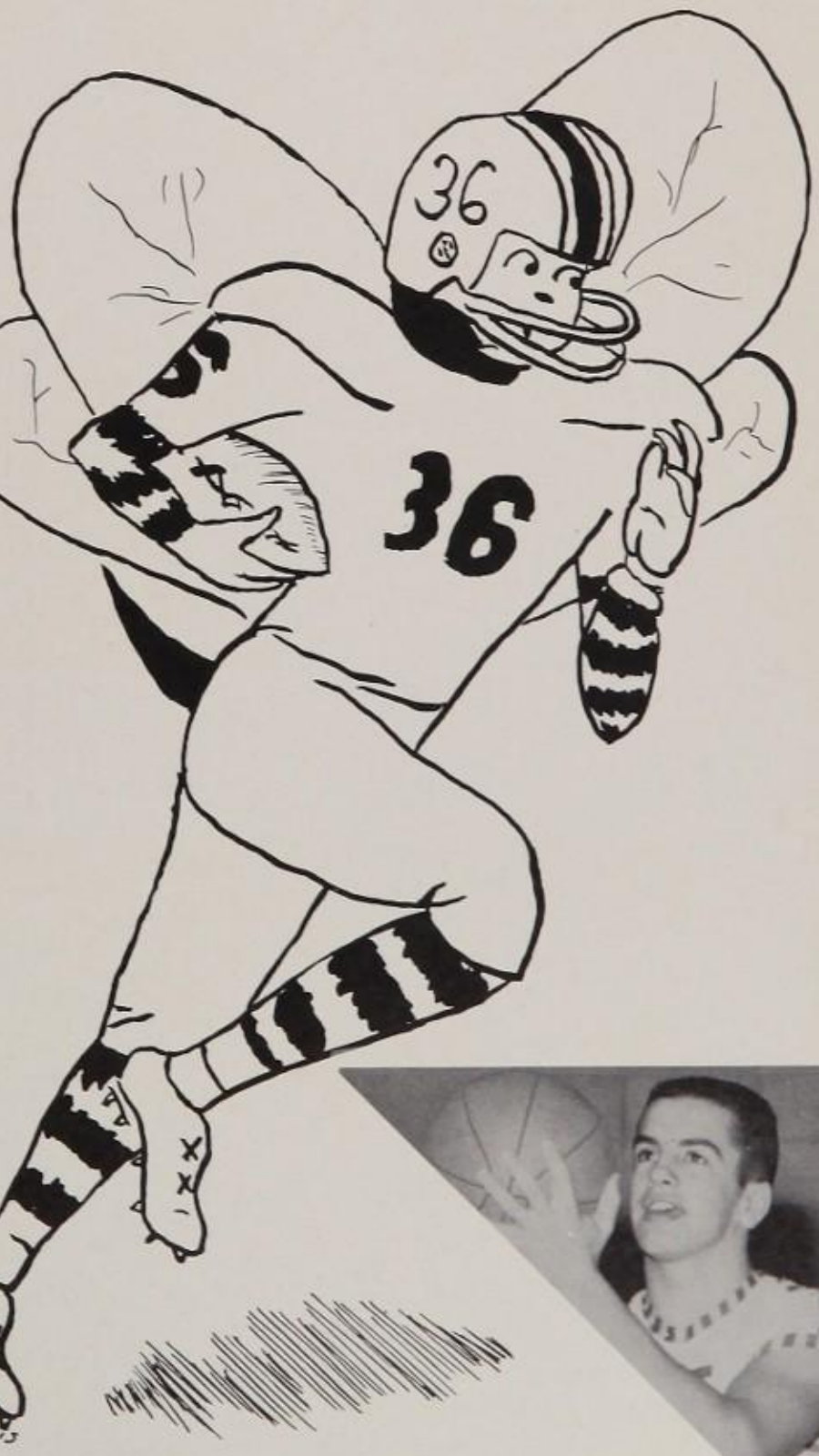
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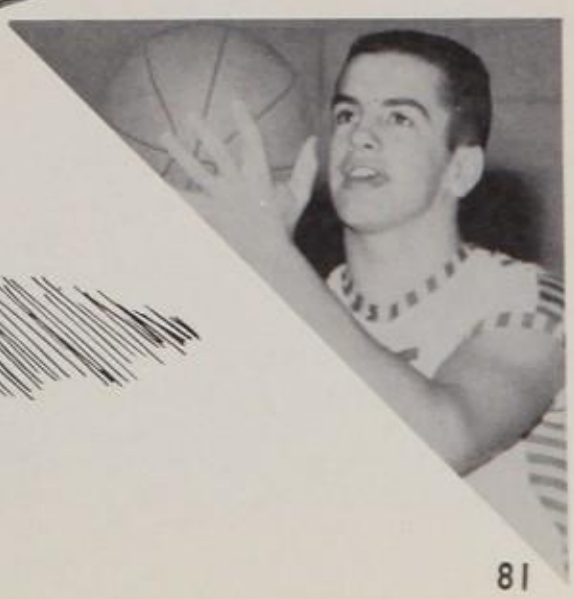
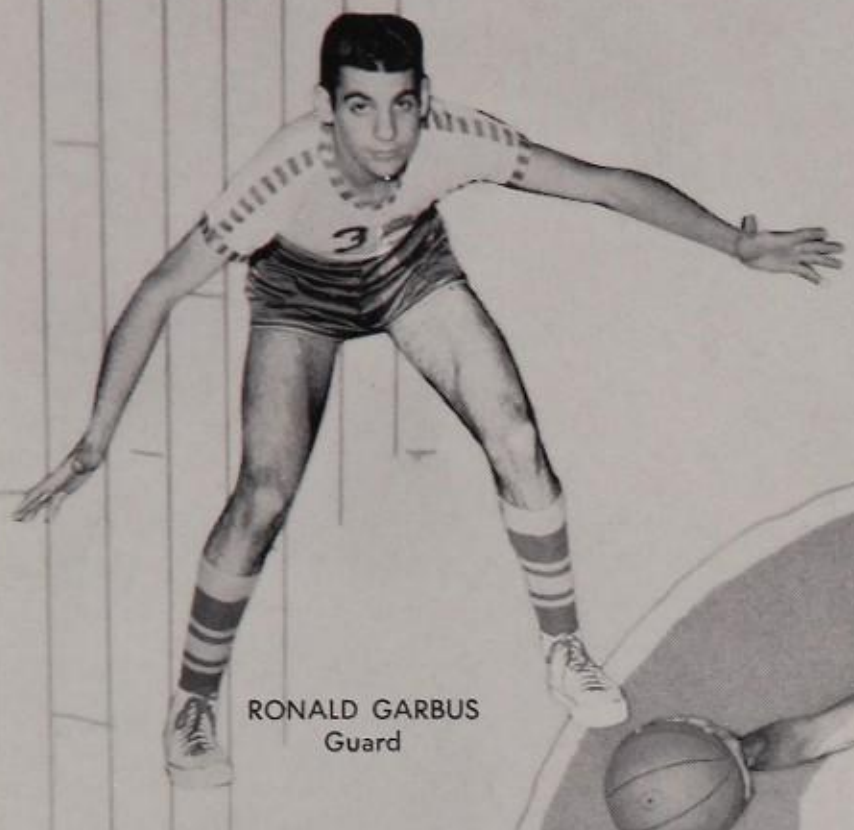


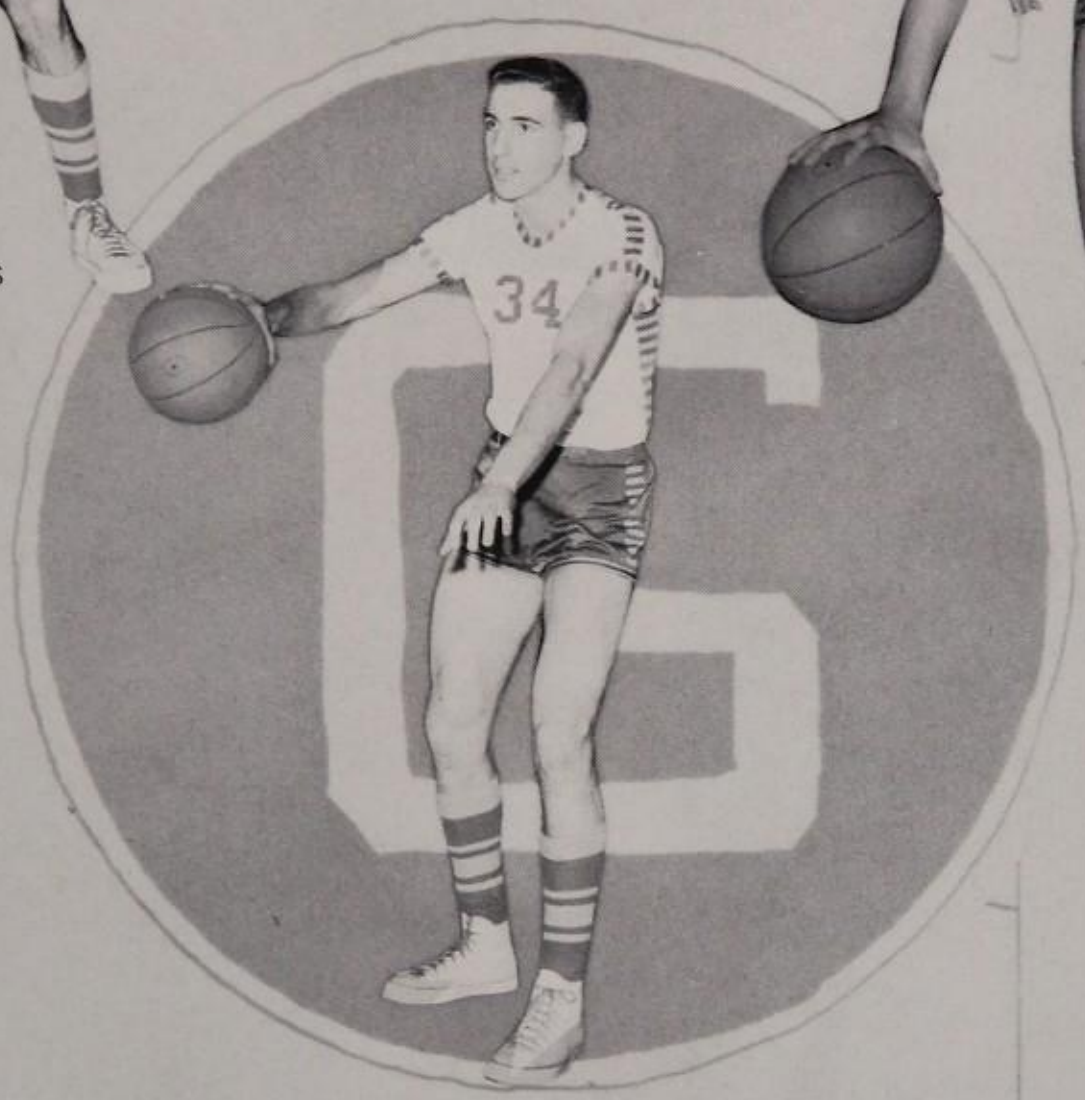
Varsity Basketball Team

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Ronald Garbus, Clifford Williams, Jack Grazia, John Carl. BACK ROW: Coach William Flaherty, Porter Griffin, Harold Stannard, Norman Chamberlin, Jim DiVita, Ronald Nalette, Danny Kellogg, George Simons, Manager—Charles Ferrante.



RONALD GARBUS
Guard

GEORGE SIMONS
Forward



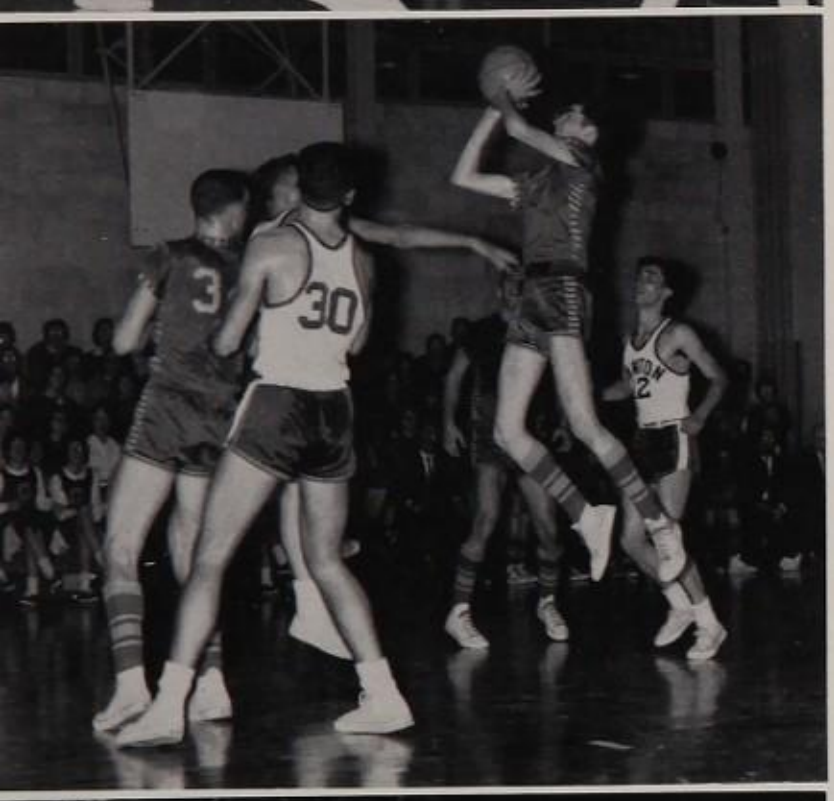
JAMES DiVITA
Center

HAROLD STANNARD
Guard

NORMAN CHAMBERLAIN
Forward

A Big Home Game

A Game at Canton



Gilbert Tops Canton

GILBERT SCORES 53-51 VICTORY OVER FARMINGTON

Yellowjackets Stage 19 Point Assault in Final Quarter to Overcome Third Period Deficit

...was ... set for Gil- ... the season ...

JACKETS' SURGE IN THIRD PERIOD DECIDED CONTEST

Victory Over Simsbury Friday Night Would Scramble Conference —Three Players Hit 15

The Gilbert school basketball team took a giant step forward in the Northwest conference last night, knocking off second place ... at the school gym ...

SCORING SURGE IN THIRD PERIOD DECIDES CONTEST

Gilbert Meeting Simsbury Here Friday in Northwestern Conference Game

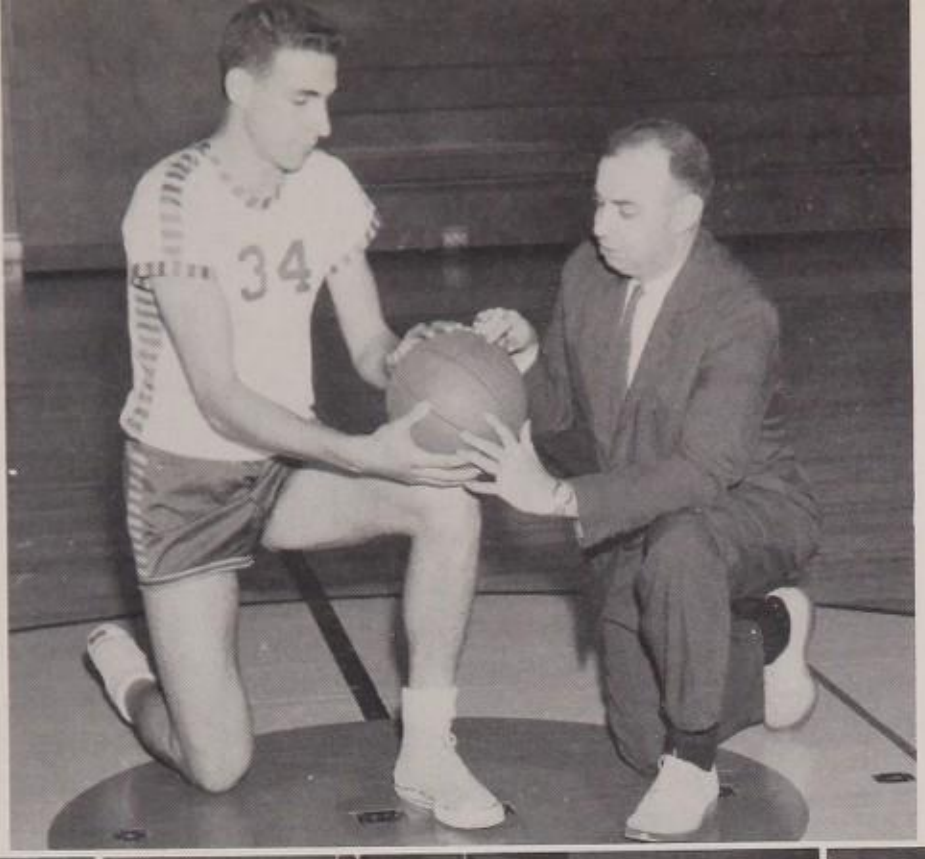
The Gilbert basketball ... rolled to its seventh ... the season last ... Farmington ... western ...

1962 Yellow Jackets

Coach "Doc" Flaherty saw his 1962 Yellow Jackets complete the season with a 11-9 record. Led by Captain Jim DiVita, the Blue and Gold split with rivals, Torrington and Northwestern. Jim DiVita climaxed three years of varsity basketball with an average of 19.8 points per game and a total of 397 points. Jimmy was captain his last two years, making the Northwest all state team for the 1962 season. Ending their senior year were Norm Chamberlin, George Simons, Skeeter Stannard and Ron Garbus.

	FA	Made	FG	Total	Aver.
J. DiVita	136	85	156	397	19.8
N. Chamberlin	29	10	44	98	5.1
G. Simons	47	31	71	173	8.6
D. Kellogg	20	12	45	102	5.3
K. Williams	31	10	36	82	4.1
H. Stannard	24	15	13	41	2.9
J. Grazia	55	33	54	141	7.0

Gilbert



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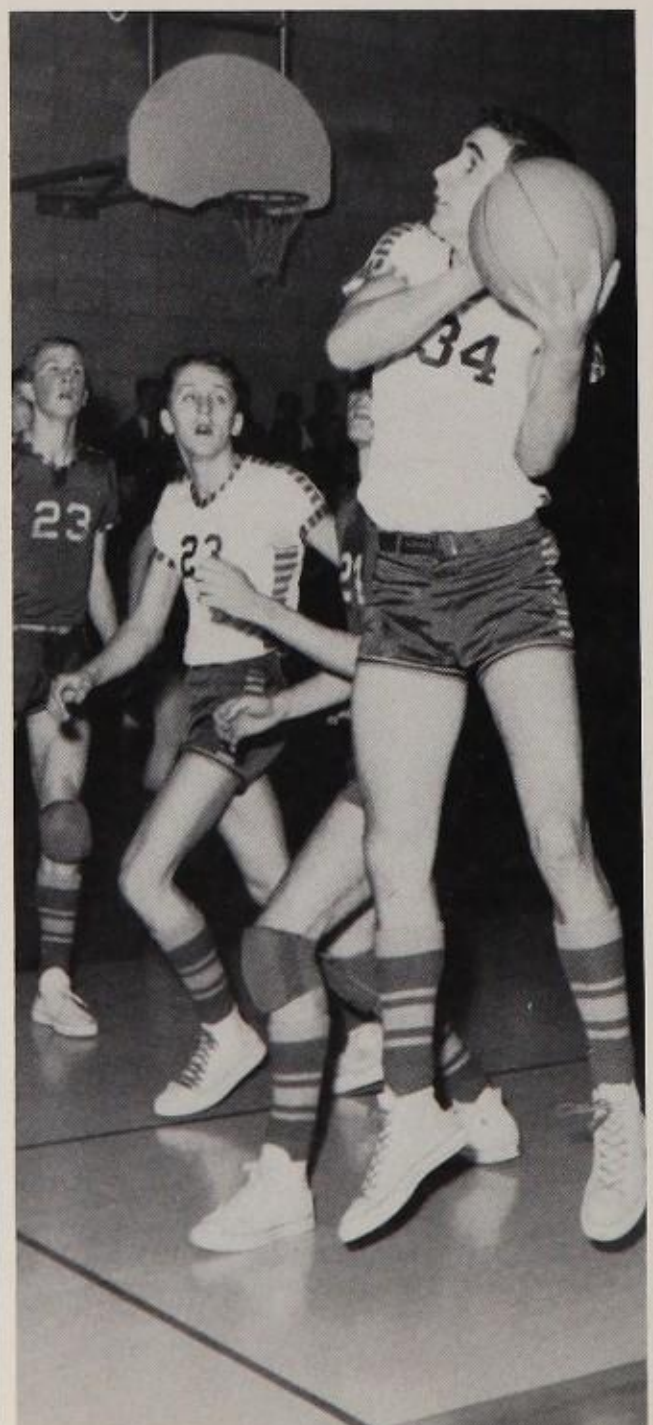
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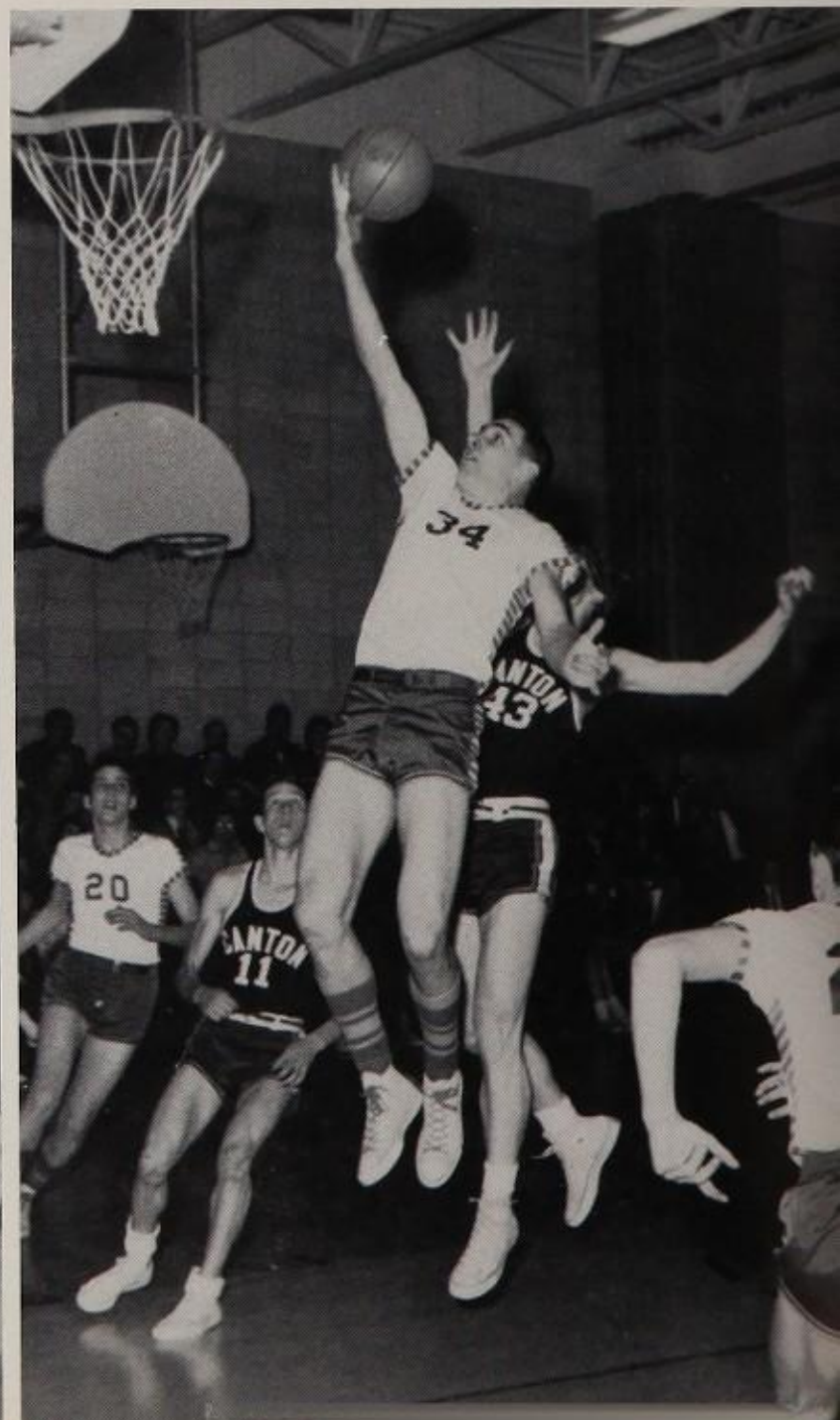
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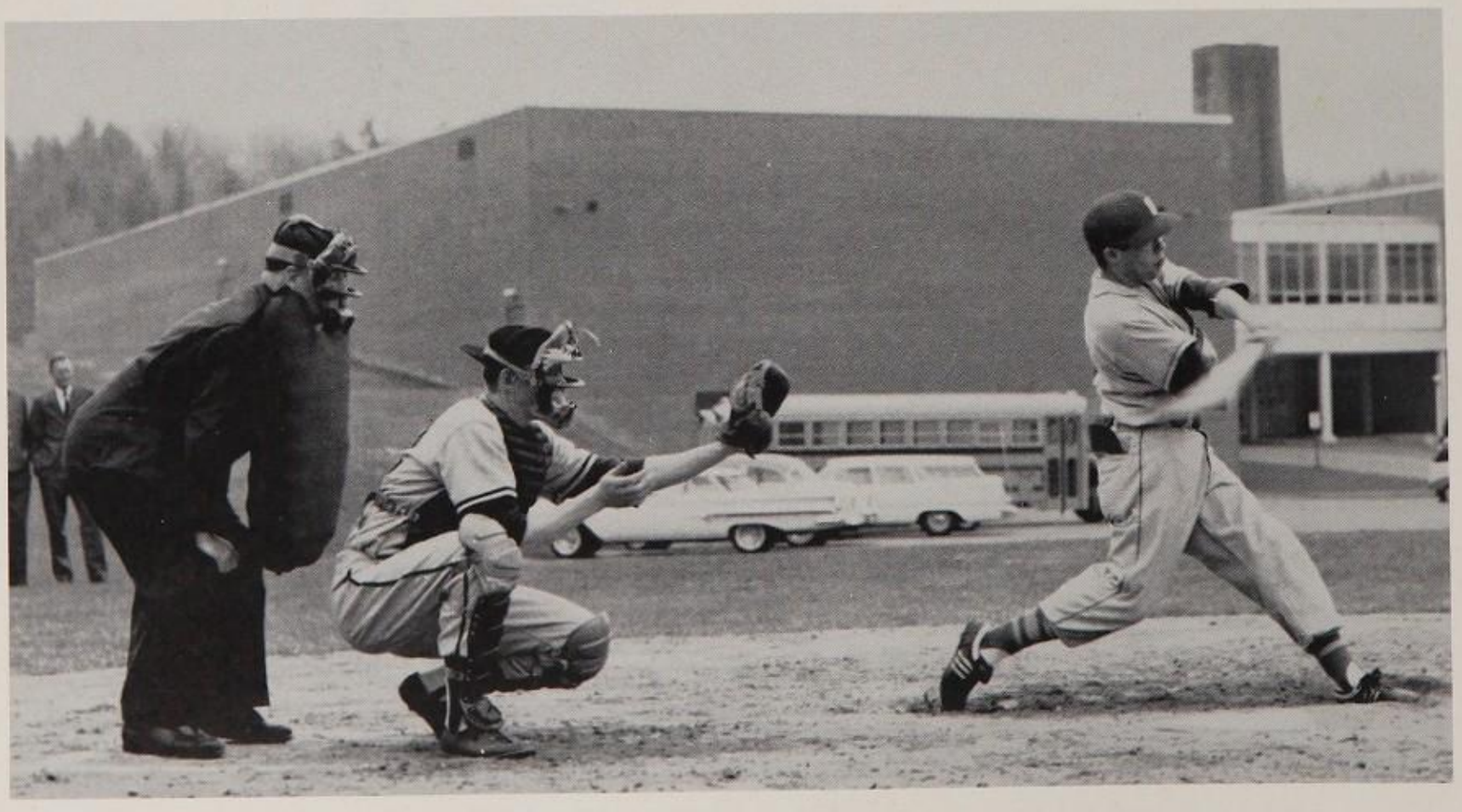
COACH GLEN McLELLAN

The 1962 baseball Yellow Jackets will be led in the Northwest Conference by Seniors Pete Moraski and John Colavecchio as Co-Captains. It is expected that this year's team will be made up of mostly underclassmen especially in the infield and mound staff. The two games, with the Torrington Red Raiders, one under the lights, will highlight the season. After many years in the Naugatuck Valley League, with the teams being led by "Pop" Coleman and Charles Fecto, the Gilbert fans will be treated to an entirely different array of foes.

CO-CAPTAIN JOHN COLAVECCHIO

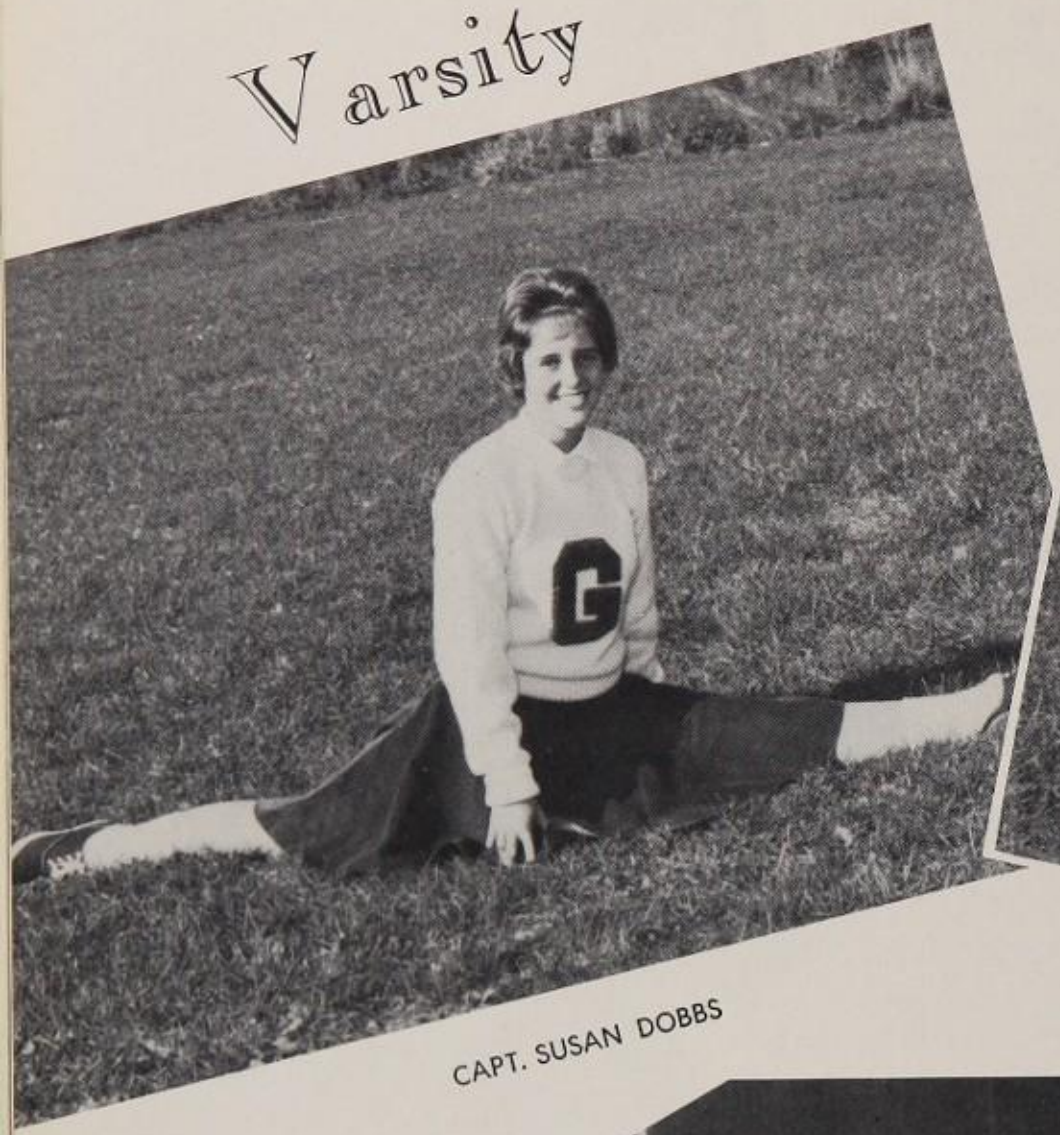


Captains Peter Moraski and John Colavecchio

1962 Baseball

Tues., April	17—at Farmington
Sat.	21—Regional #10
Tues.	24—James
Sat.	28—at Regional #7
Tues., May	1—Canton
Sat.	5—at Torrington
Tues.	8—at Regional #1
Thurs.	10—Farmington
Tues.	15—at Regional #10
Sat.	19—at James
Tues.	22—Regional #7
Sat.	26—at Canton
Mon.	28—at Terryville
Tues. (night)	29—at Torrington
Thurs.	31—Terryville
Sat., June	2—Regional #1

Varsity Cheerleaders



CAPT. SUSAN DOBBS

STEPHANIE DOBBS

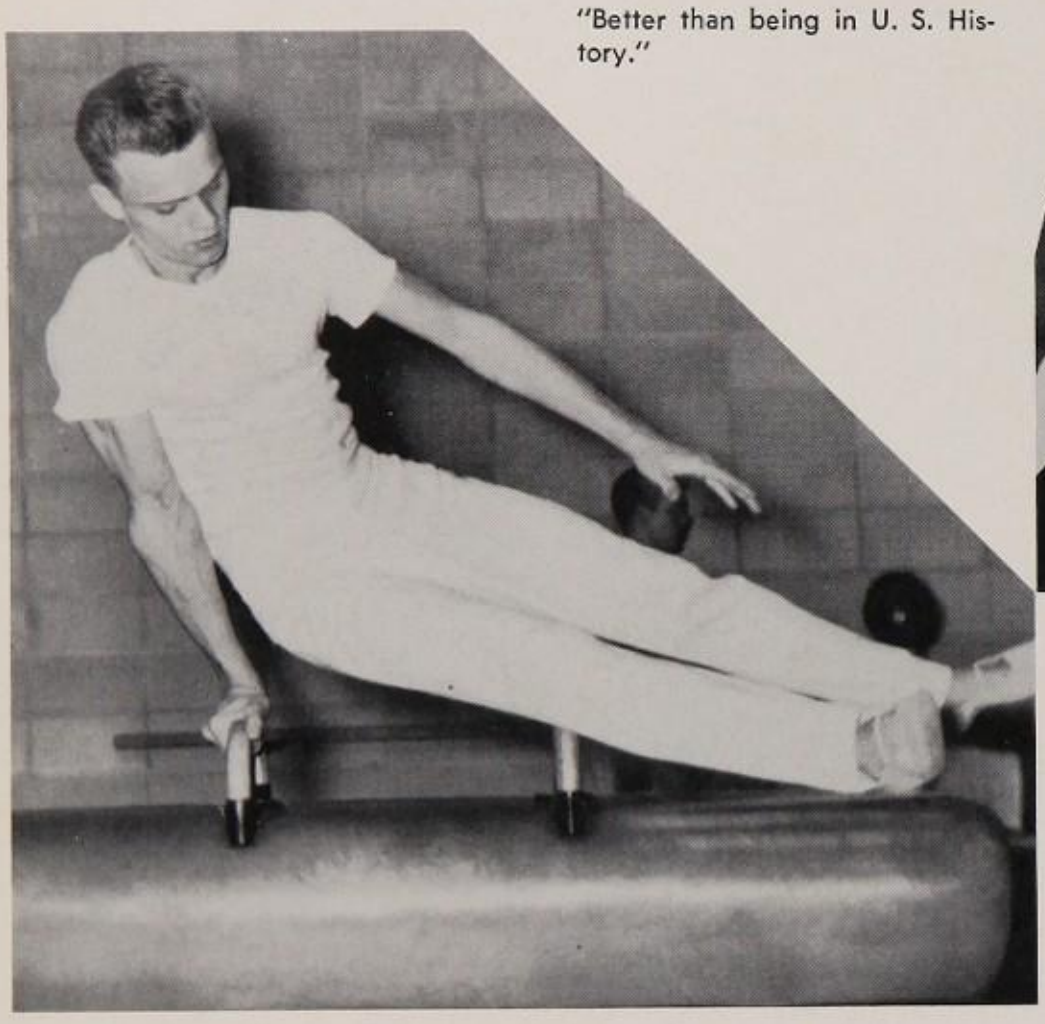
NATALIE KAUPPI

BARBARA SESKO

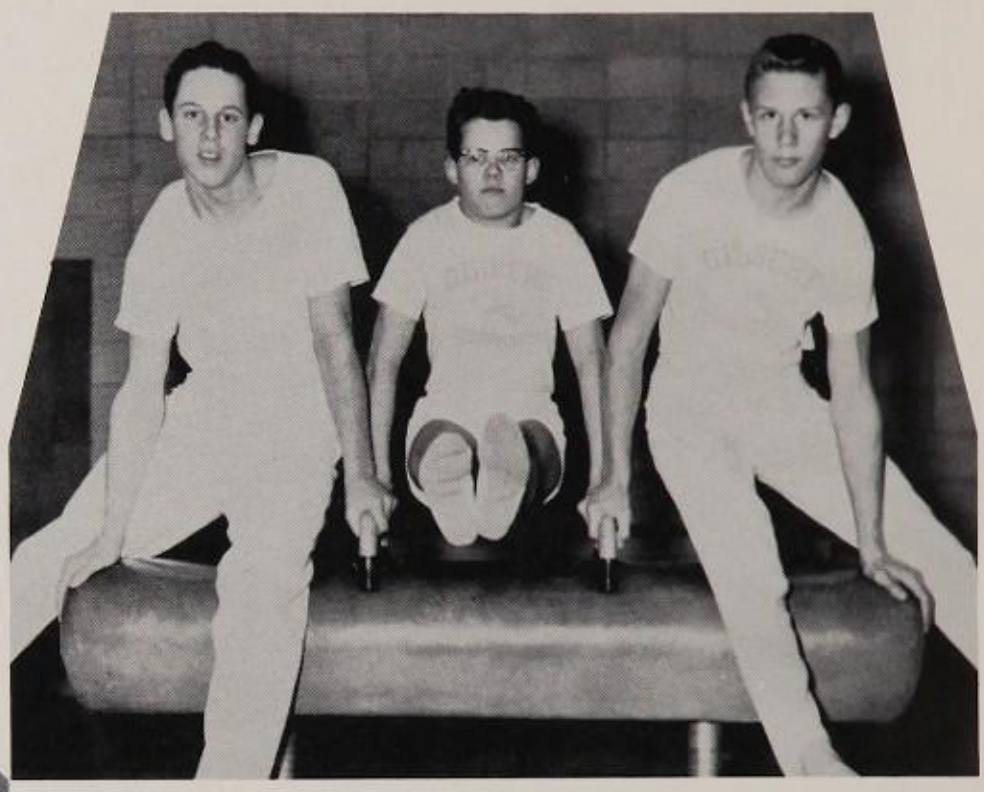
Left to Right: Mary DiVita, Judy Dudley, Cecile Carl, Stephanie Dobbs, Karen McCornick, Marie DePaoli, Capt. Susan Dobbs, Linda Vogellus, Adviser Miss Fromer.

The 1962 Cheerleaders

Left to Right: Karen McCornick, Stephanie Dobbs, Marie DePaoli, Cecile Carl, Capt. Susan Dobbs, Judy Dudley, Mary DiVita, Linda Vogellus.



"Better than being in U. S. History."



"The tall and the short of it."

"Gilbert's Astronaut."

"The air's clearer up here."

J. A. DAVIS

Gilbert

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J. A. DAVIS

The Annual All-

"Something funny happened . . ."
Guest Speaker Andy Robustelli.

"That reminds me of a story!"
Hank O'Donnell, Sports' Editor *Waterbury American*.

"I would like to introduce Coach . . ."
Principal David Nichols

"From a Pro to a great amateur."
The presentation of the Athlete of the Year Award to James DiVita.

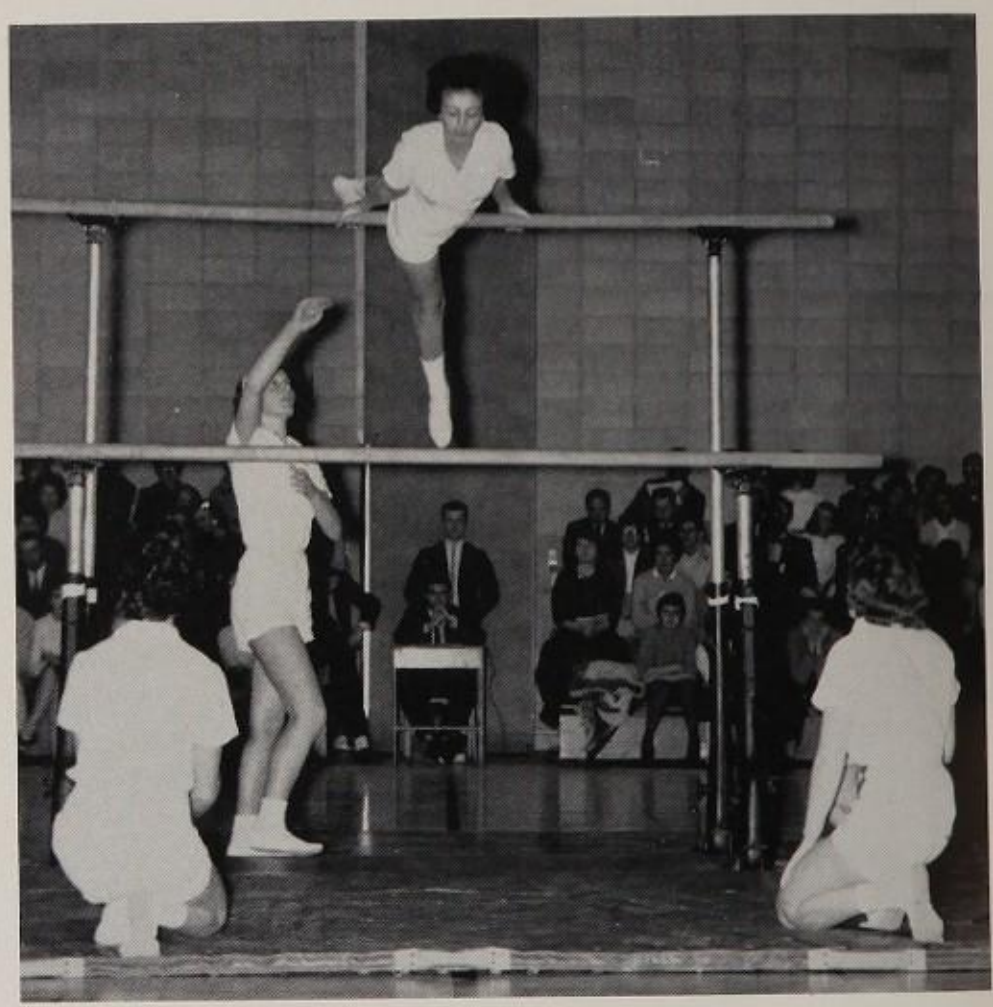
Sports Banquet

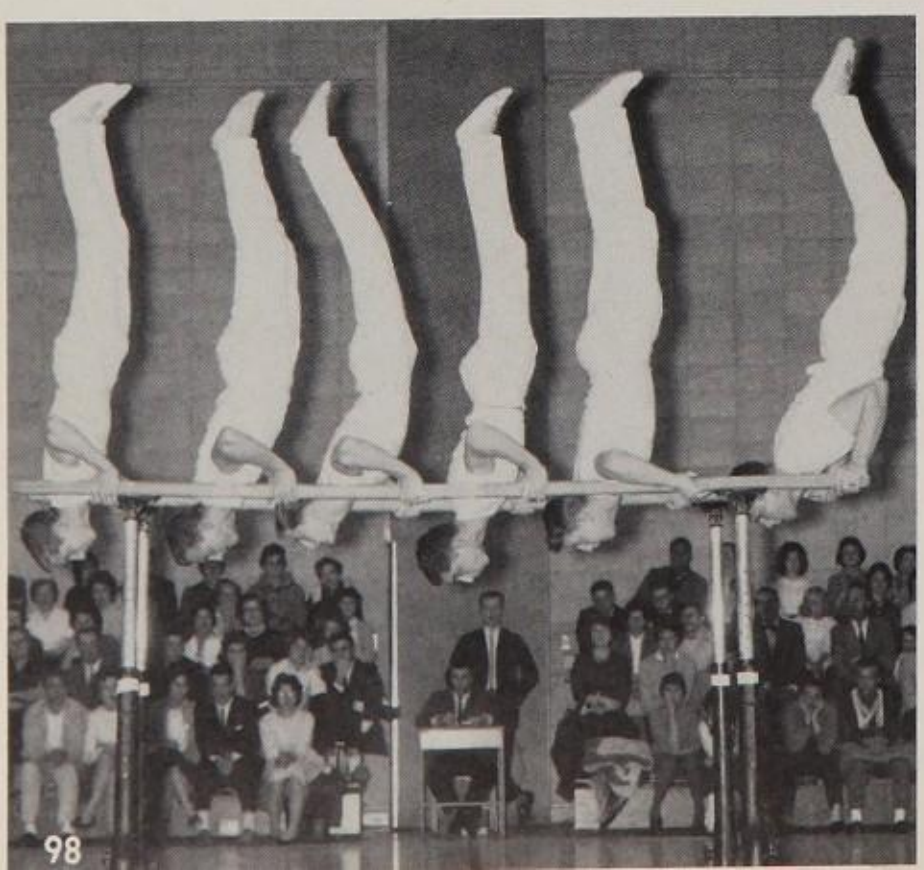
"All I can say is 'Thank You'!"

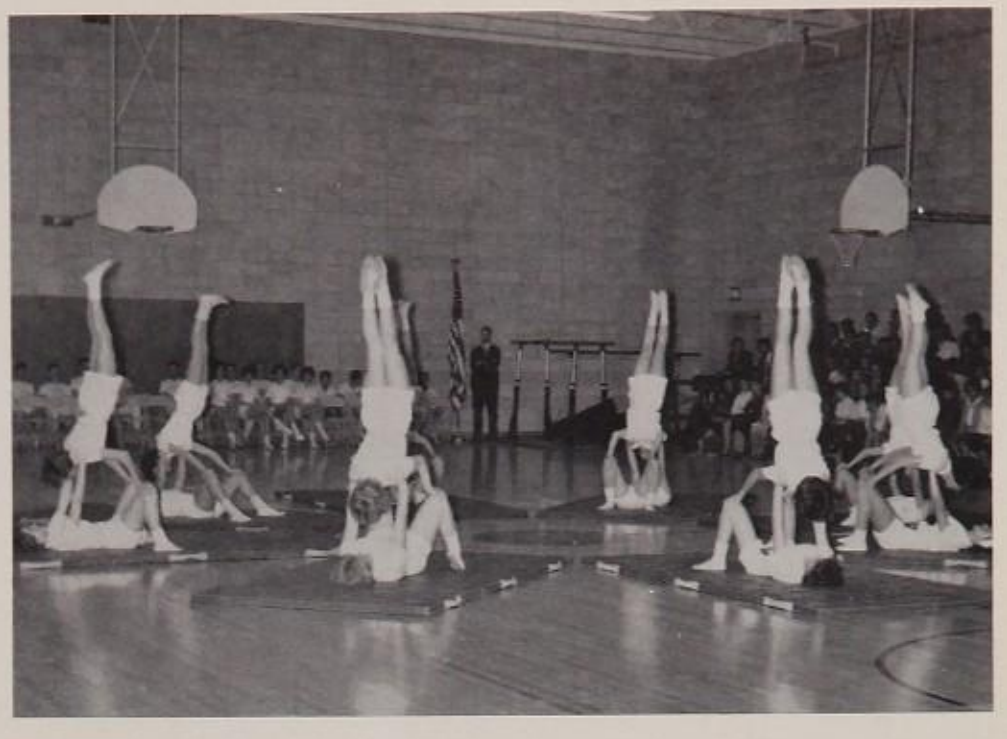
"As Mayor I present you the Keys to the City."

The first annual Kiwanis All Sports Banquet was held this year with Andy Robustelli, of the New York Football Giants, as guest speaker. The senior football, basketball, cheerleaders, and track members were honored. Hank O'Donnell, Sports' Editor of The Waterbury American, was Master of Ceremonies and assisted Charles "Spud" Fecto in the presentation of the Athlete of the Year Award to James DiVita.

"Where's the dessert?"

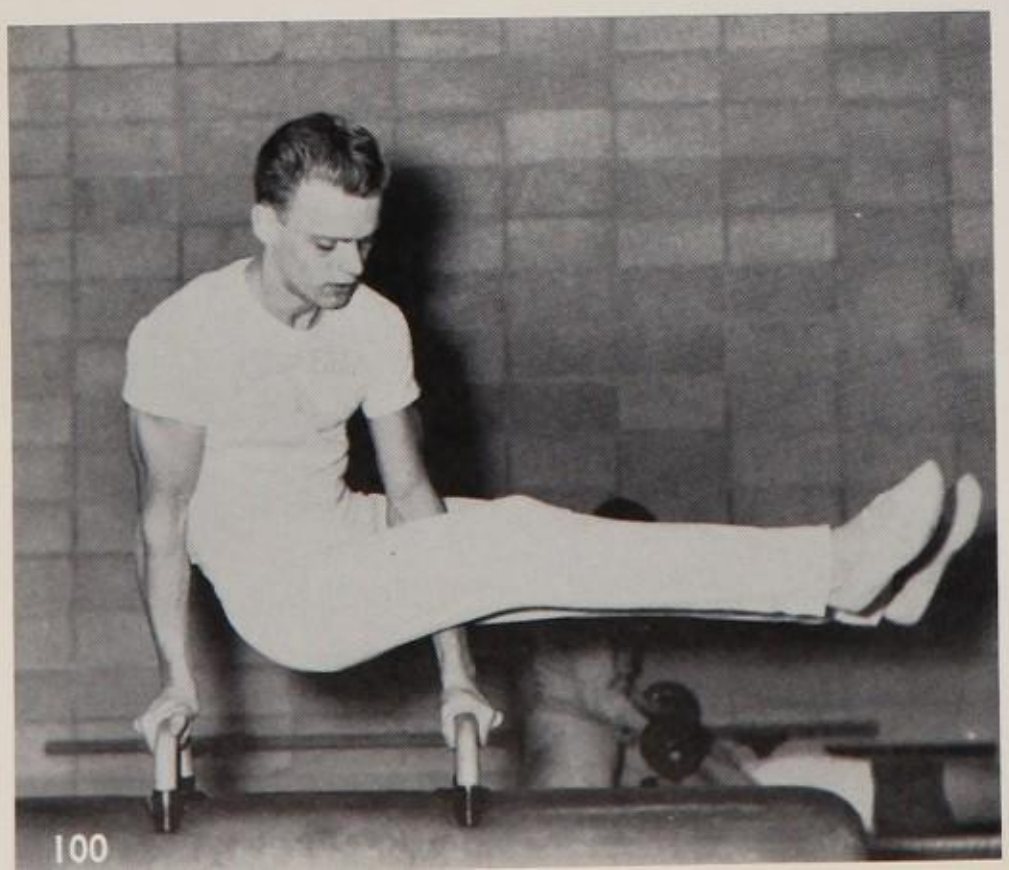


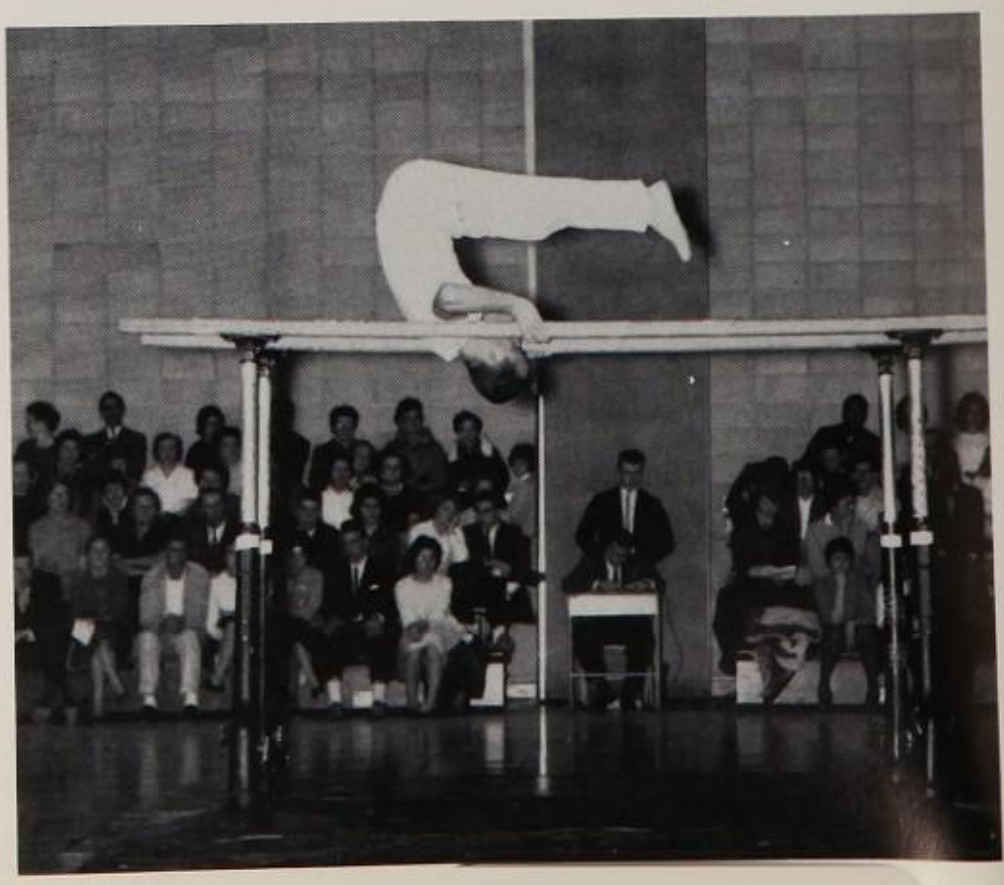




The Third Annual Gym Show

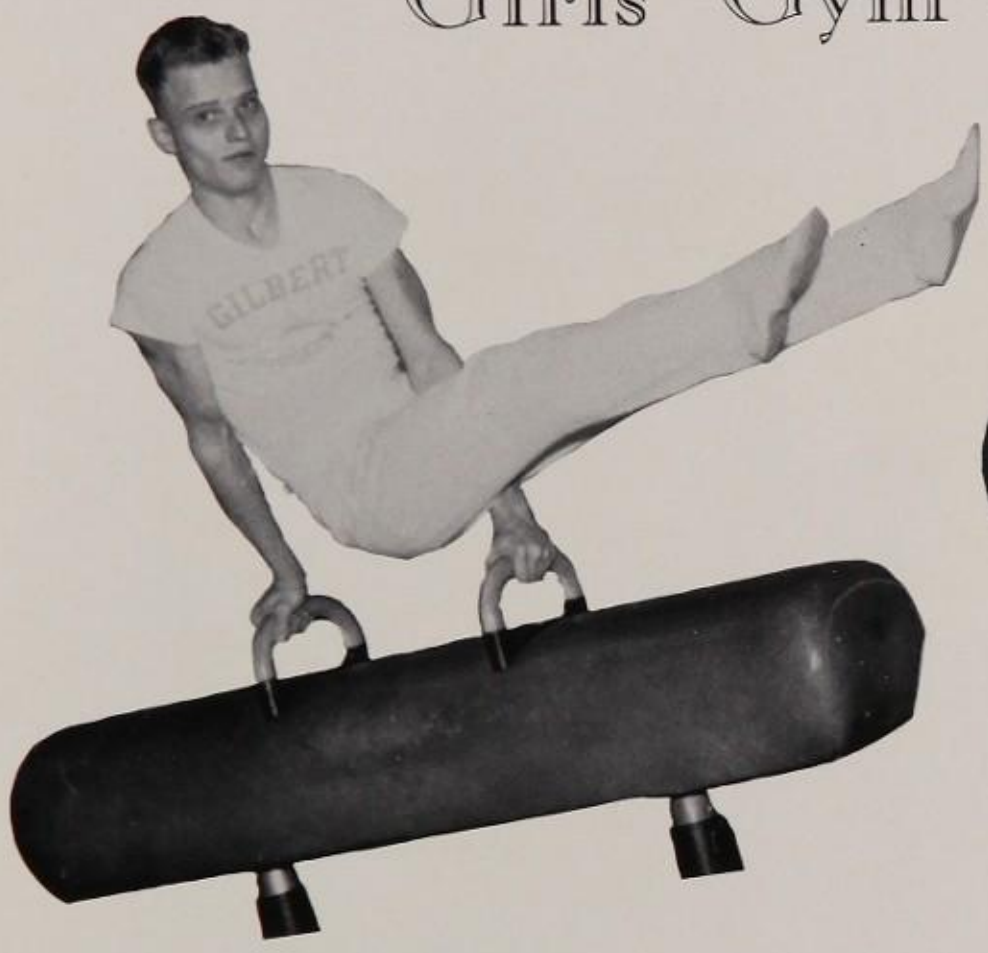
Our appreciation to Mr. McLellan and Miss Fromer





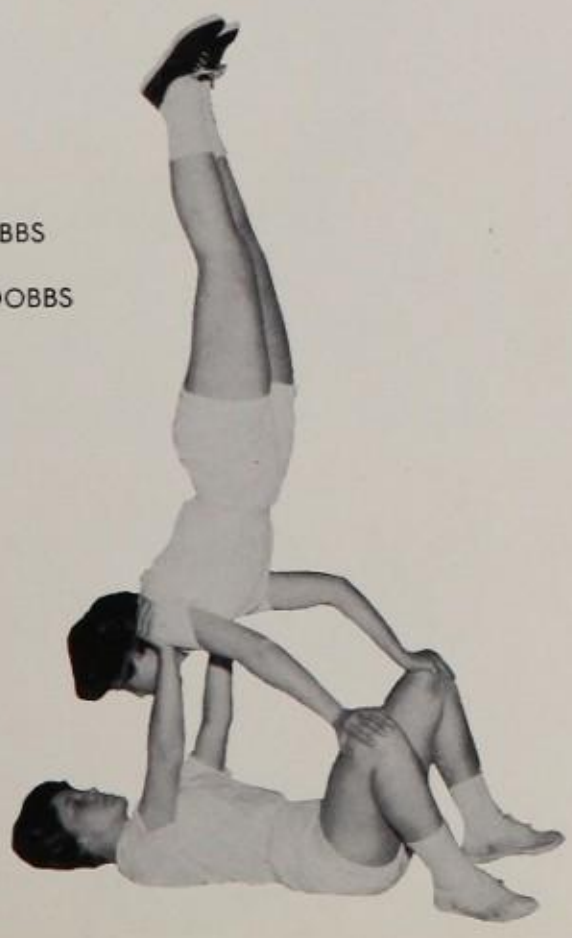
Lucille D'Amore, Doreen Simons, Mary Ann Alexas, Clare Jamieson, Stephanie Dobbs, Inez McGinn, Beverly Simons, Cecile Carl, Susan Dobbs, Laura Kelly, Lois Basso, Jeanne Fisher, Sheila Hicks, Judy Goodenough, Sue Jones, Pat Collins, Grace Fracasso, Diane Guglielmino, Jean Roberts, Linda Vogellus, Barbara Hayes, Diana Franklin.

Girls' Gym Club



WALTER CROSSLEY

LINDA VOGELLUS



SUSAN DOBBS
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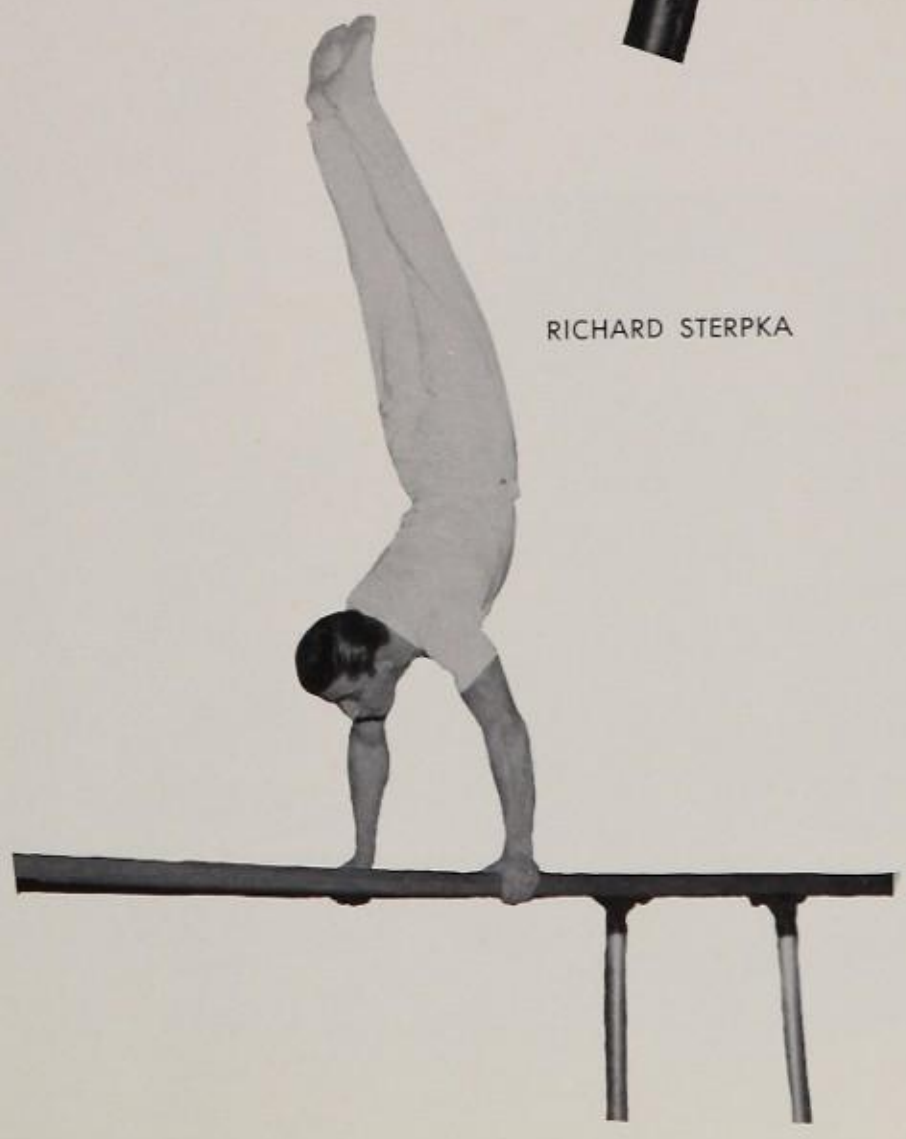
STEPHANIE DOBBS



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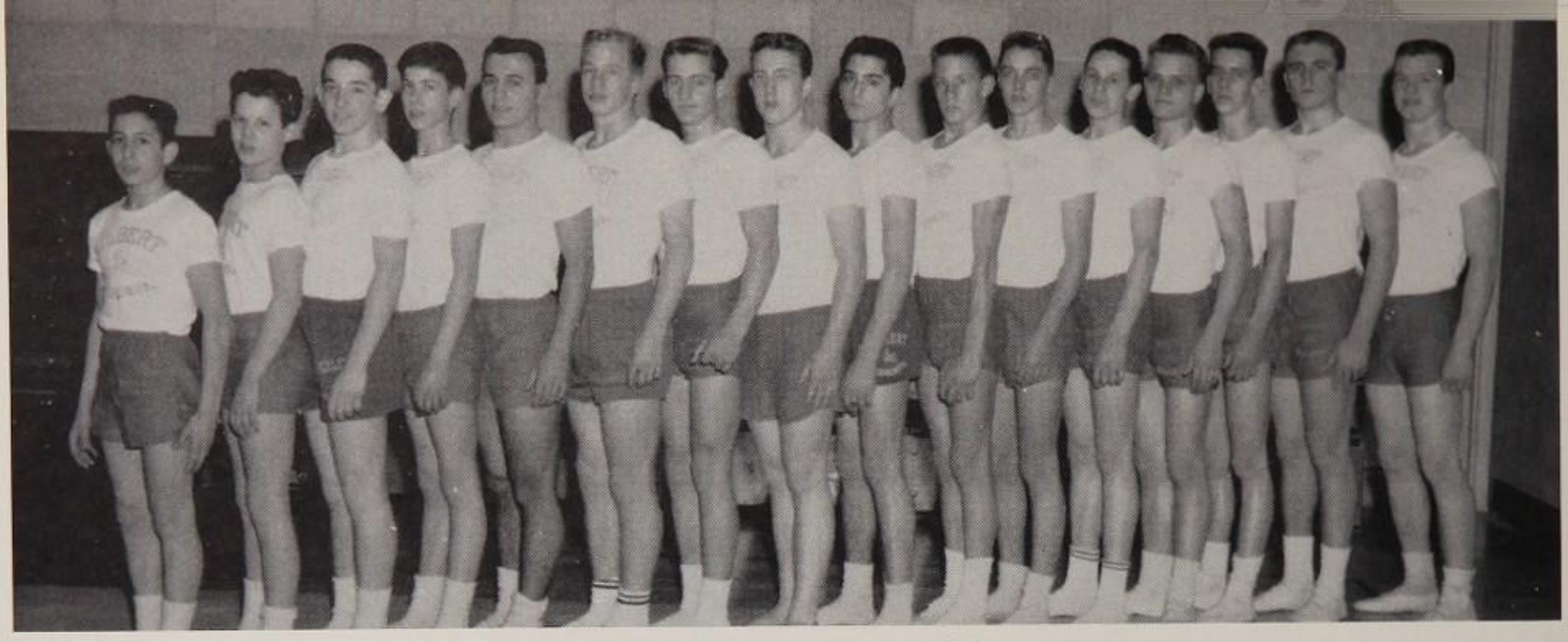
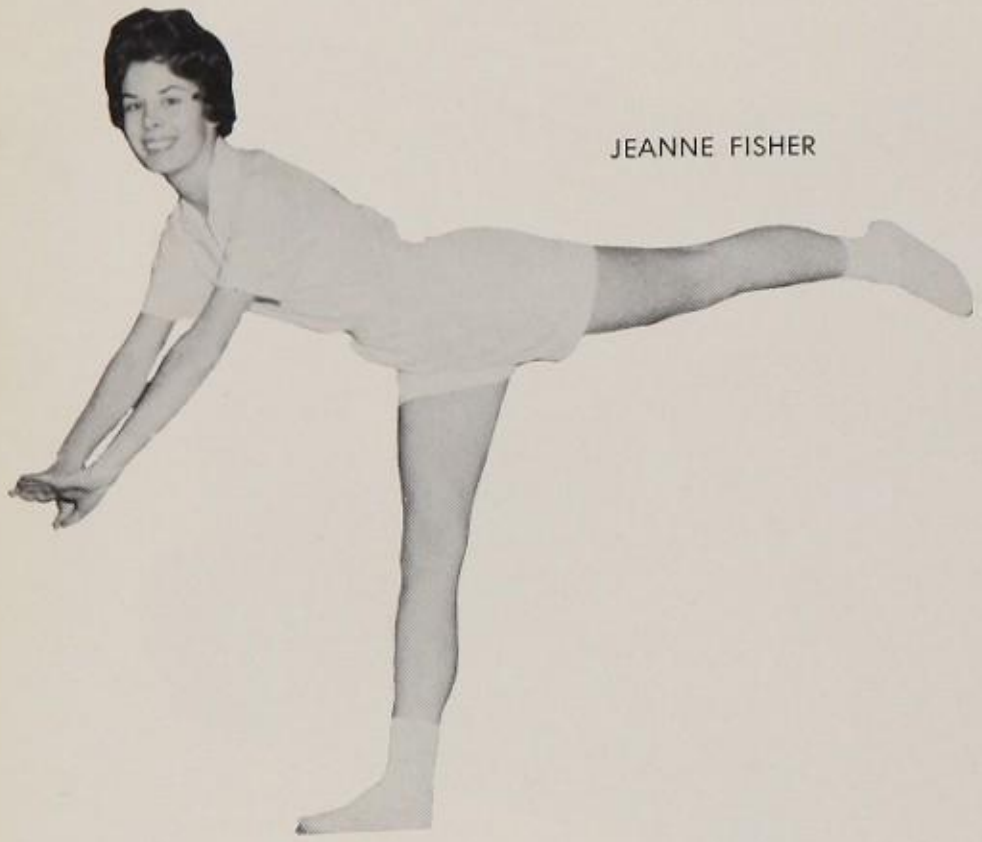


Boys' Gym Club

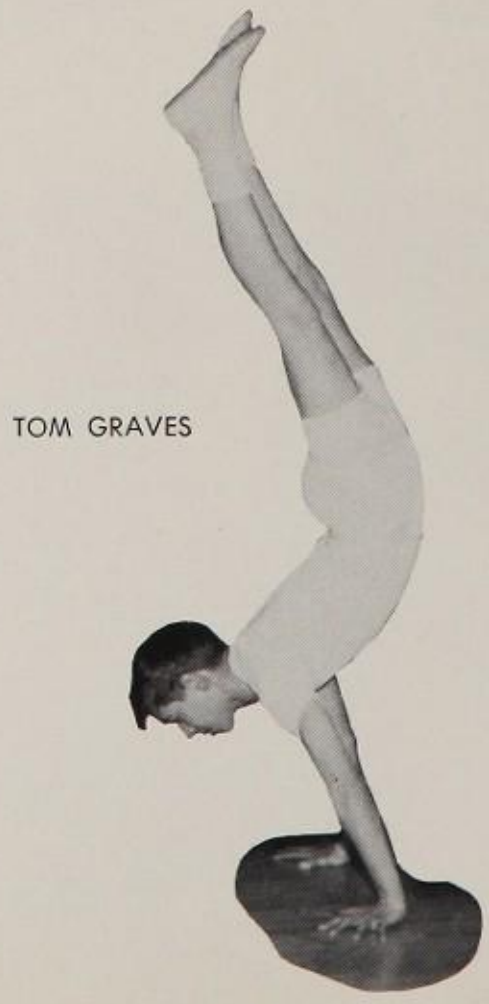
Sal Marzullo, Bowen Roberts, Jim DiMartino, Tom Graves, Richard Falzone, Tom Lilliendahl, Dick Sterpka, Bob Wells, Peter Guglielmino, Dick McKie, Bill Murray, Albert Woodworth, Walter Crossley, Bill Doubleday, Sam Francis, Bob Clark.



JEANNE FISHER

Stephanie Dobbs, Sam Francis, Lois Basso

SAM FRANCIS



TOM GRAVES

J.V. FOOTBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Jonathan Stevens, Jack Doherty, Marc Chamberlin, Andy Herzing, Jim Robertson, Paul Mooney, John Mahoney, Victor Burke. SECOND ROW: Bowen Roberts, David Leshay, Joe Resha, Donald Truax, Jim DiMartino, Doug Beebe, Jerry Morton. THIRD ROW: Christopher Thrall, Anthony Fragale, George Bronson, Leo Ouellette, Harold MacFarland, George Nash, Coach Volovski.

J.V. BASKETBALL TEAM

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Donald Truax, Gene Grazia, Fred Roy, Ronnie Izumi. BACK ROW: Jay Ransford, David Tanner, Jim Walsh, John Hicks, Marc Chamberlin, Andy Herzing, Harold MacFarland.

J.V. CHEERLEADERS

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Barbara Sesko, Betty Lawson. BACK ROW: Alice Locascio, Lucille D'Amore, Barbara Hayes, Diana Franklin, Jeanne Fisher, Natalie Kauppi.

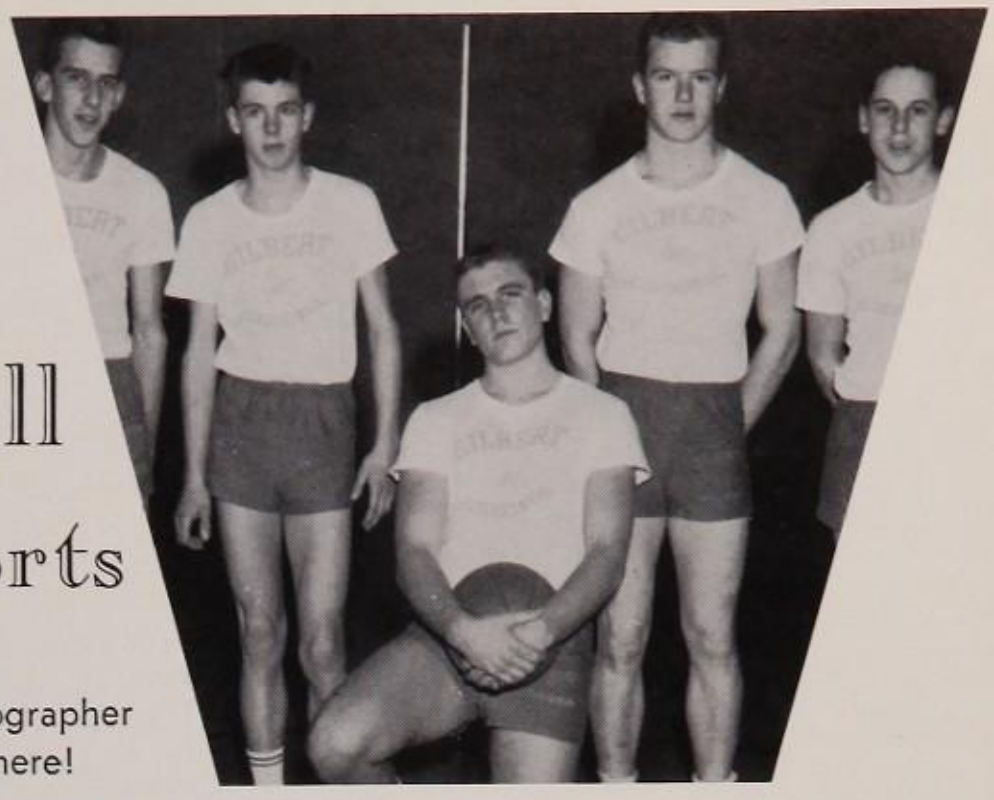
Track Team

FRONT ROW, Left to Right: Bob Cahill, George Attella, Richard Green, Jimmy O'Meara, Kenneth Kent, Donald Bunel, Robert Bensley. SECOND ROW: Hamilton Pitt, Roland Seymour, Peter Johnstone, Richard Horton, Bill Brunelle, Ronald Nalette, Peter Guglielmino, Thomas Lilliandahl, Ed Finn, Mr. Ackermann.

Pick 'em up and lay 'em down!!!

All Sports

The Photographer was there!



The Senior

Epilogue

SENIOR PROM COMMITTEE

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Kate Barrett, Ellen Barrett, Gail Hoxie, Gail Roarke. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Steph Dobbs, Norman Chamberlin, Susan Dobbs.

JUNIOR PROM COMMITTEE

FIRST ROW, Left to Right: Mary Lynn Barrett, Rigina Lovetere, Carmey Mazzarella, Joyce Barnum. SECOND ROW, Left to Right: Dave D'Amore, Dan Kellogg, Mat Connole, Kip Williams, Wesley Davis.

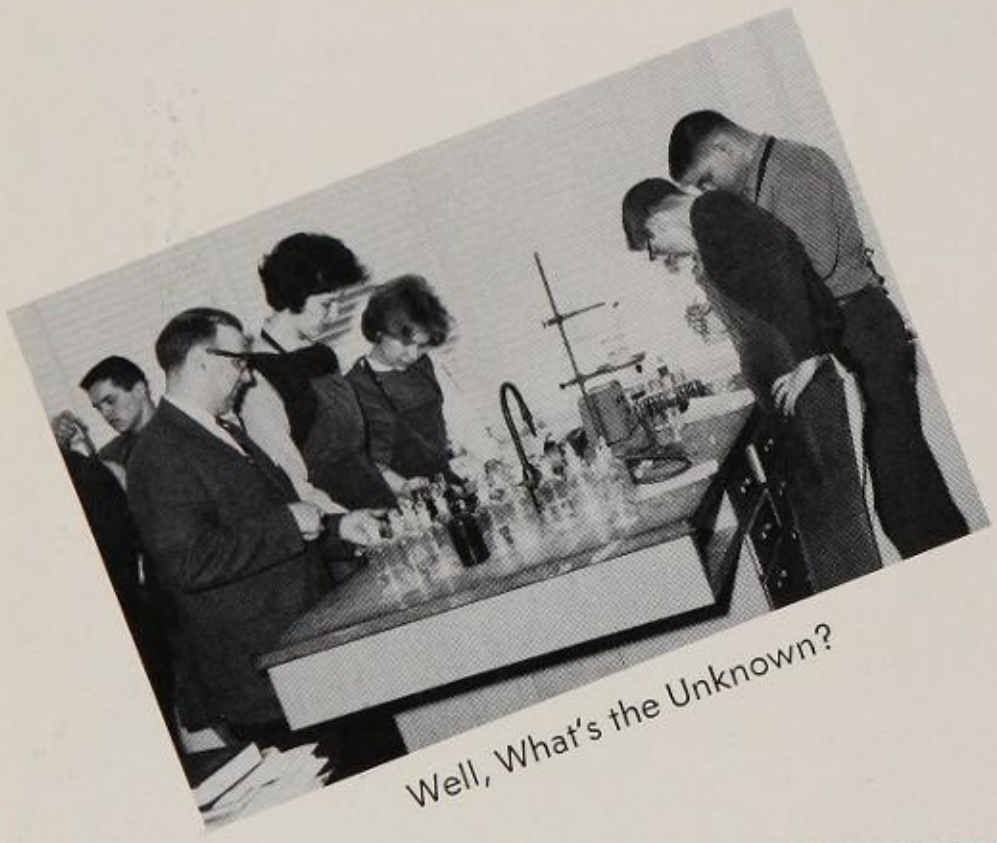
Cafeteria Staff

Winter Wonderland IV

King and Queen

The Band

Gilbert's Future Glee Club



Well, What's the Unknown?

Oh, this Novel Report!

Blow, Ellen, Blow!

Courtesy of *Waterbury Republican*

Shovel it on.

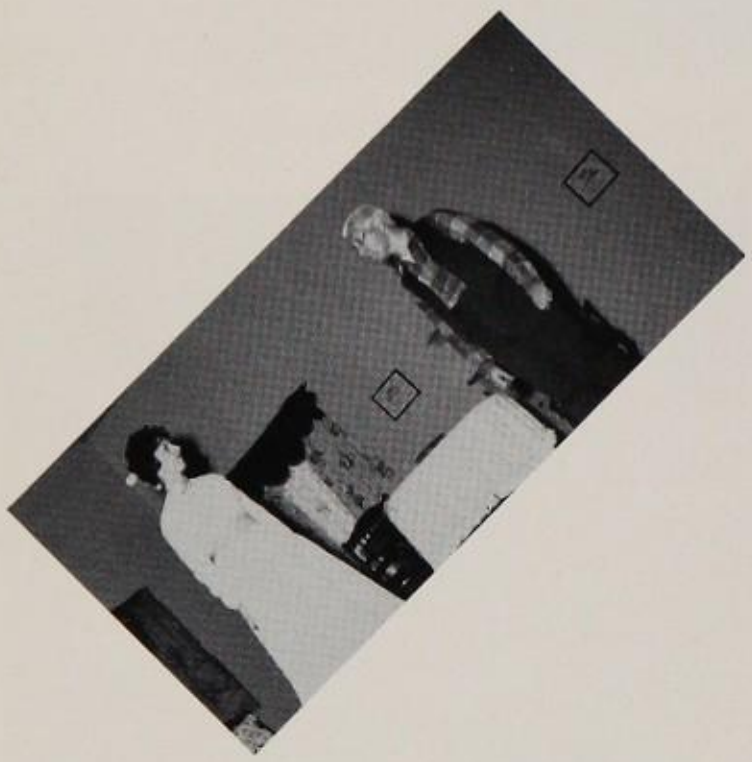
Another Driver

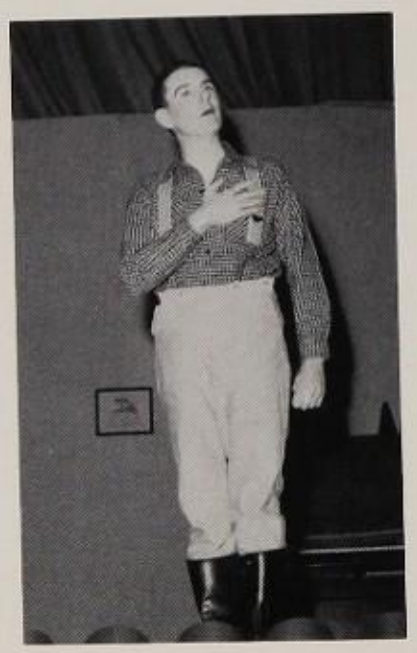
Oh, that noise

"Well, if you ask me—"

"I want my mommy."

"See here, young lady!"





"At 25% interest, of course."

"Oh, this heart burn!"

Peppermint Lounge

SENIOR CHEERLEADERS

BACK ROW, Left to Right: Gail Hoxie, Virginia Bazzano, Sandra Cappellina, Mary Murray, Margaret Locascio. KNEELING: Pat Olson—Captain.

The Senior cheerleaders led the Senior team to a 54-53 victory over the Junior Varsity at the Alumni game.

SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAM

Left to Right: Dennis Cappabianca, Robert Turgeon, David Daly, Dana Waldron, Jack Hoxie, Denny DeLisle, Robert Thomas.

Last Will

We, the class of nineteen hundred and sixty-two, being of sound and disposing mind, hereby declare this to be our Last Will and Testament, and give, devise, and bequeath in the following manner:

Kathy Alexander leaves her friendly smile to Sheila Dings;
Katie Barrett leaves her confusing explanations to Carmey Mazzarella;
Ellen Barrett leaves her energy to Danny Kellogg;
Kathy Barshaw leaves her quiet ways to John Delutrie;
Barry Bayette leaves his tardiness to Mike Gjede;
Ginny Bazzano leaves her pokiness to Jody Dockham;
Cheryl Beecher leaves her long hikes to Mary Lynn Barrett;
Walt Benedict leaves attendance collecting to next year's senior collector.
Kathleen Boothe leaves her long hair to Esther Zeechin;
Denny Cappabianca leaves leading the Senior Basketball team against the J.V.'s to Wesley Davis;
Sandy Cappellina leaves her dimples to Tommy Graves;
Serena Casey leaves her contagious laugh to Joyce Barnum;
Nummy Chamberlin leaves his good looks to his brother Marc.
Mike Clark leaves his jokes to Gary Dayton;
John Colavecchio leaves his skill in baseball to Ronni Izumi;
Dave Daly leaves daydreaming to Mary Lou Chamberlin;
Alice Dautrich leaves test correcting to Doc;
Marilyn Davies leaves Florida to Kathy Humpage;
Jeanne Davis leaves her artistic ability to Sue Jones;
Gordon Dayton leaves business machines class to some lucky junior boy;
Denny DeLisle leaves his job at Mencuccini's to Frank Carfiro;
Lynette Desmond leaves dirty aprons in home ec. to Diana Guglielmino;
Billy Dillon leaves marshal's badge to Chester Rosansky;
Charlie DiVita leaves the answers to his questions to Miss Sheldrick;
Jim DiVita leaves his athletic ability to Jack Grazia;
Stephanie Dobbs leaves her flirting to Claire Jamieson;
Sue Dobbs leaves her leadership to Marie DePaoli;
Doris Dombrowski leaves her giggling echo in Miss McGowman's room;
Sharon Dunn leaves her good marks to Kathee;
Paula Eisenlohr leaves her skill in basketball to Jean Roberts;
Barbara English leaves to spend all her time with Jerry;
David Fancher leaves his alligator to Leila Sturm;
Charlie Ferrante leaves his 98 in chemistry to Jim Ducharme;
Billy Fiske leaves his cynical ways to Ceil D'Amore;
Ruth Flotat leaves Nurses Club to Rene Humpage;
Marilyn Fracasso leaves sitting on the office phone desk to Regina Lovetere;
Janice Gabelmann leaves advanced math class to the boys;
Betty Garafalo leaves her stuck typewriter keys to some unlucky junior;
Ronnie Garbus leaves his desire for basketball to Fred Roy;
John Genziano leaves his drum sticks to Doug Fletcher;
Carol Goddard leaves Susan Ayotte to be Miss Small's helper;
Dick Goulet leaves his spitball to Toby Falzone;
Billy Graves leaves his "comments" to his brother Tom;
Jay Hanley leaves his job at First National to Dave D'Amore;
Lucille Hero leaves her boyfriends to Ceil Carl;
Gail Hoxie leaves her sophistication to Mary Frances Barrett;
Jack Hoxie leaves his truck to Jeff Marshal;

and Testament

Peggy Jackman leaves her noisy ways to Amber Curtis;
Nat Kauppi leaves her cheering outfit to Barbie Hayes;
Bob Koenemund leaves his hot car to Miss Small;
Barry Lawrence leaves his interpretations of Kipling's poems to Mrs. Thompson;
Joann Lazzaro leaves her wisecracks to Dave Tanner;
Janet Lefebvre leaves her short skirts to Denise Nelson;
Diane LeGeyt leaves the Hartland bus to Buddy Ouellette;
Gerry Lemelin leaves, hoping never to see U. S. History again;
Marianne Lemelin leaves her drawings to Lyon Franklin;
Paulette Lemelin leaves 90's in typing to Linda Dutcher;
Peggy Locascio leaves still talking to the boys;
Coe Manchester leaves his little blond curl to Rich Andrighetti;
Jessie Martin leaves her optimism to Kim Burke;
Bob McKie leaves his conservatism to Wayne Ellsworth;
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Bob Mooney leaves Mrs. Thompson's green board to another colorblind person;
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Patsy Mori leaves his appetite to Ray Flotat;
Gwen Morton leaves her skis to Pam Burke;
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Doreen Webb leaves working in the caf to Gail;
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Wayne Williams leaves dancing to Jack Forchette;
Ruth Youmatz leaves her crazy graphs to a nervous junior.

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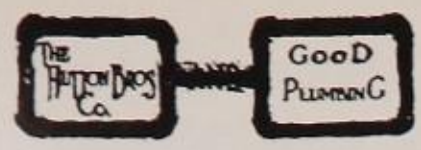

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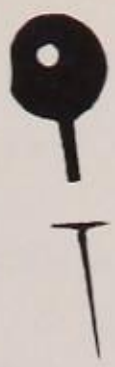

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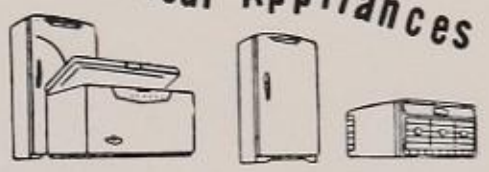

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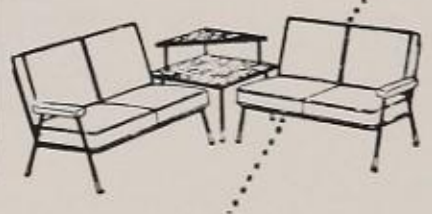

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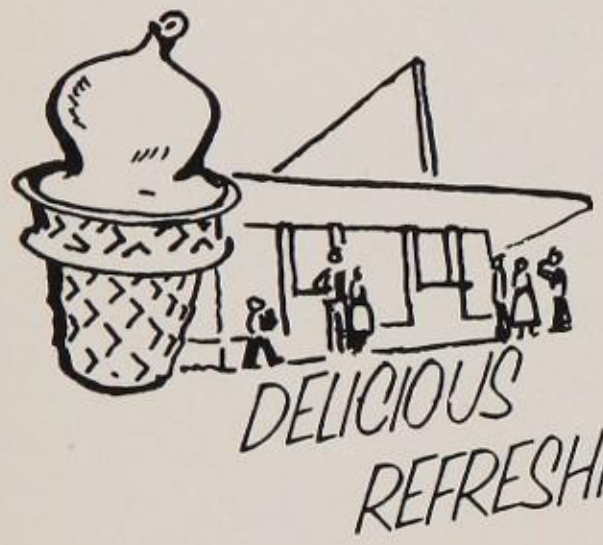

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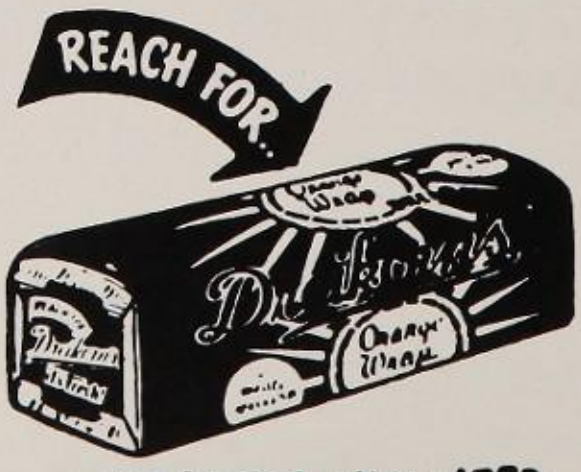

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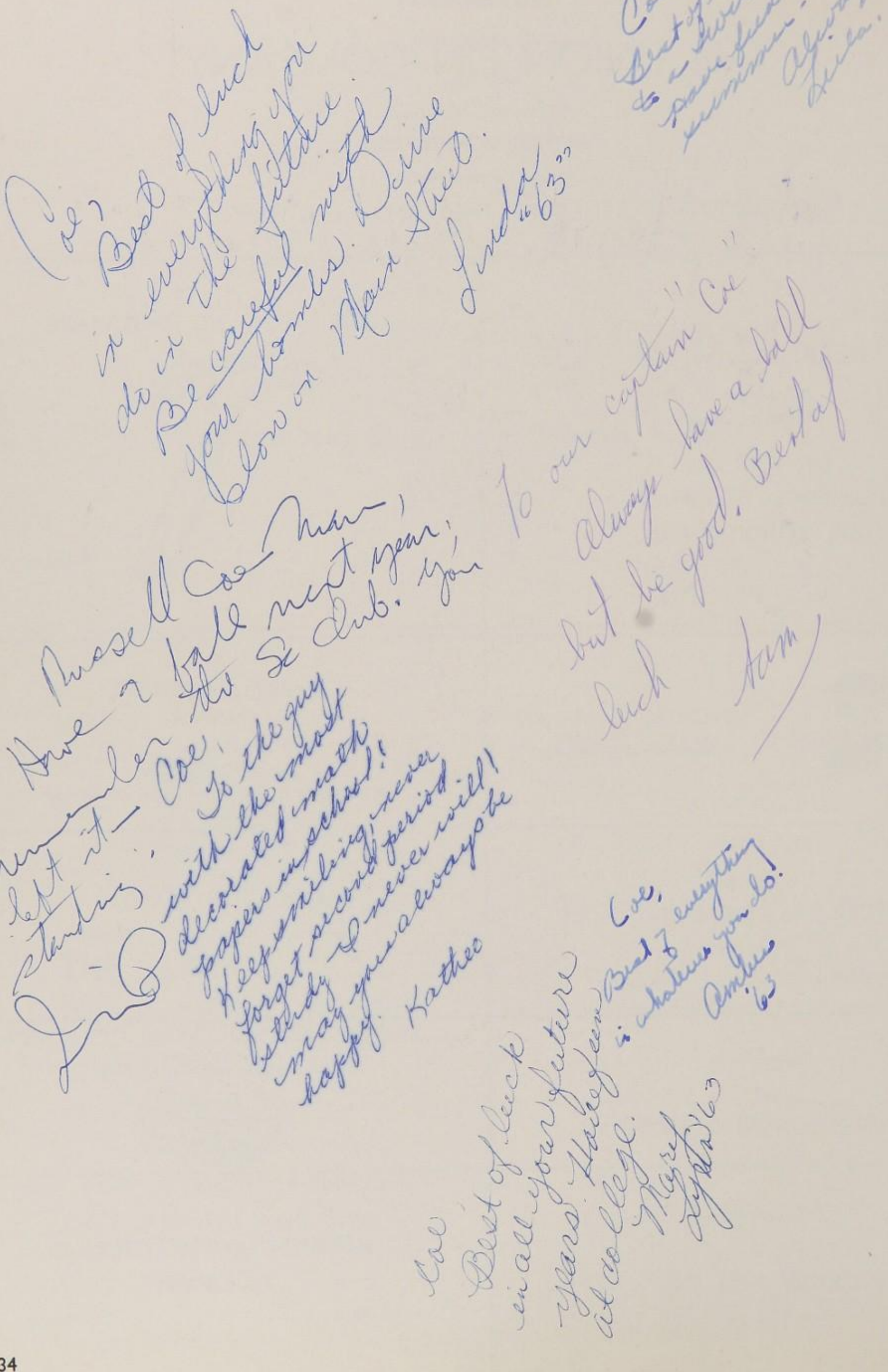

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Hey Robin Kood!
Remember gym -
Hope you have fun
this summer and maybe
I'll see you next year
Be good bye -Oreker
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always for the
coming years.
3 yrs. to go (I hope)
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Coe,
Best of luck
to you always.
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Best of luck in
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As we carry on the strife—
Then will come the golden mem'ries
Of those happy days we knew,
And we'll think, with cares all banished,
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